

## FRANCE MAY PAY IF GIVEN MORE OF REPARATIONS

### Memorandum To U. S. Thought To Be Small Importance

PARIS, Jan. 3. (AP)—Altho the memorandum of finance Minister Clementel concerning the funding of the French debt to the United States is considered by the government as entirely unbinding, unofficial and a personal statement of French public opinion it has nevertheless, in the view of political leaders, posed the question of French war debts in such a way that negotiations must continue.

The suggestions of M. Clementel, which were handed to American Ambassador Herrick in the form of a memorandum, it is now indicated in well-informed, altho unofficial French sources are probably insufficient to form the basis of a serious conversation.

The American ambassador is holding up the suggestions pending further personal talks with French officials. It is even thought in political circles that they may never be cabled to Washington in their present form.

It is recognized by the French press, however, that contact between the French minister of finance and American representatives in Paris has set moving the question of funding war debts.

The question of interallied debts has now been posed in all its complexity. It was thought for a long time that the best way of working out the interallied debt question was not to speak of it, but let it gently fall into oblivion.

The same newspaper reveals the growing feeling in French circles that the cancellation of war debts would have been just, if realized, that the time has come to "clearly define the French attitude, which must not be based on any misunderstanding."

Wants Her Money First  
The Temps continues: "France does not repudiate her obligations. She wants to pay, but only what she really owes and she cannot pay unless she is paid by Germany the reparations owing her." Clear political logic, general financial interest and most elementary justice require that France profit by the revision of interallied debts, correspond at least to the revision of reparations.

The first effort of the French, it is anticipated in political circles will be to obtain larger percentages of reparations than provided in the Spa agreement which gave them 52 percent. Minister Clementel has pledged himself to the Socialists to raise this question at the coming meeting of the allied finance ministers here. If he succeeds in obtaining an increase the debt settlement will be easier.

It is understood that the French will ask the finance ministers conference to revise the allotment of reparations on the basis of material damages sustained in the war, not counting pensions. This would affect the British particularly, since the bulk of their share of reparations is made up by pensions claimed by the French. Thus it is expected to provoke a sharp conflict in the coming conference with Great Britain resisting a revision of percentages and France standing on the principle that she cannot reduce her share of the allied claims on Germany and at the same time pay in full the debts she contracted in order to win the war.

### WEATHER

Chicago and vicinity—Fair Sunday and Monday, but with some cloudiness not much change in temperature; winds mostly moderate westerly.

Illinois and Indiana—Generally fair Sunday and Monday; not much change in temperature.

Wisconsin and Iowa—Mostly fair Sunday and Monday; not much change in temperature.

Missouri—Fair Sunday and Monday; not much change in temperature.

Temperatures

	The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded for Saturday were:
Boston	32 32 22
Buffalo	28 30 22
Chicago	30 32 26
Cincinnati	36 38 22
Detroit	30 30 22
San Francisco	52 56 42
New York	32 34 28
Washington	34 34 28
Jacksonville, Fla.	50 62 46
New Orleans	54 70 58
Omaha	34 36 18
Minneapolis	14 20 14

## "MR. ZERO'S" ARMY TAKE UP WORK WITH PICKS AND SHOVELS

### Leader Makes Plans To Change Church Into "Front Factory"

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—Altho most of "Mr. Zero's" (Charles Ledoux) army of unemployed were engaged today in a pick and shovel advance against ramparts of snow in the city streets, he announced tonight that he is preparing to send them forth to compete with the "white collar" class.

He announced that all plans have been completed for turning the Camp Memorial Congregational church, where his men slept for several nights, into a "front factory" which will have as a by-product the creation of smiles and self-confidence.

Ledoux said that New York was a city of "fronts." The man with a pick and shovel and appearance didn't stand a chance, he said, to be made plans to give his men the "fronts" that would give them an even footing with the best.

"Mr. Zero" said that with the help of Dr. W. H. Hollins, superintendent of the board of missions of the Camp Memorial church he would turn the church into a "factory" where his men would be made over so that they would be desirable employees in any office. For 10 cents, he said each man would be given breakfast at the church and then be given access to a place to wash and press his clothes. To be from their own ranks will send them on their way.

Then, at morning inspection, Dr. Zero said, he will assign each man advertisements to answer to the papers.

"And the climax," he added, "is that on a morning I am going to offer a prize for the best job. We are going to get a good laugh at the start of every day."

Ledoux said that his work here in the future would be done by the Rev. Charles L. Chast, a Congregational minister of New Brunswick, N. J., who is a Union Printer and carpenter.

### WEALTHY CONTRACTOR OF OMAHA HELD FOR MURDER OF HIS WIFE

### Is Thought Deranged—He Thanks Police For "Entertainment"

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 3. (AP)—J. Warren Hahne, 46, wealthy contractor, is held without bail in connection with the death of his wife, Mae Hahne, 48, whose body was found in the basement of their home here today.

Twelve gashes, were chopped into the woman's head. No further attempt to obtain a confession will be made, as Chief of Police H. Vandusen said he believed the man to be mentally deranged.

Mrs. Hahne's body was found by Hahne and a plumber whom Hahne had taken to the house to fix a leak in the bathroom. A bloodstained hatchet, matter with hair and a small mechanic hammer are believed to have been the death weapons.

Hahne, replying to questioning by the police, shouted: "Before God I'm innocent," and thanked police for the "entertainment." Hahne was arrested last night as he was making arrangements for his wife's funeral.

The slain woman is Hahne's second wife. His first wife died in New York in 1911. The bureau of vital statistics declared her a suicide.

## HUGHES AWAITS TEXT OF FRENCH DEBT PROPOSAL

### No Answer Received To Cablegram Sent To Herrick

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. — The French suggestion regarding payment of the war debt of France to the United States still awaited anxiously tonight by the Washington government.

No answer to Secretary Hughes' cablegram requesting Ambassador Herrick to forward the text of the French communication placed in his hands had been received when the work day ended and Mr. Hughes left his office, not to return until Monday.

Meanwhile officials here could only mark time and hope that the delayed memorandum would arrive Monday and would contain something that would justify this government in making it the basis for negotiations looking to an ultimate arrangement for actual debt funding. There was nothing more than an expression of hope, however, that the memorandum would give the debt funding commission headed by Secretary Mellon anything like a concrete plan of settlement.

This semi-pessimistic attitude was explained in part by Ambassador Herrick's delay in delivering the memorandum. It was felt that the document included a suggestion of such importance and importance in all probability would have called a several day delay.

Coinciding with the receipt here of London reports that the British government was certain to bring up the question of France's indebtedness to that nation next week while the allied finance ministers were meeting in Paris, the state department charged that Ambassador Herrick had not yet received a letter from James A. Logan, governor of Maryland, elected to represent the United States at the Paris conference.

Reports of what the British may tell France on this point and as important as the British attitude on the question of the debts owed by France to the London and Washington governments, the prime motive behind American representation lies in the question of war claims and indemnities.

It is pointed out that since the finance ministers are called to meet for the specific purpose of allocating funds to be paid by Germany, the claims question will be the most important from an American viewpoint of all others to be considered.

Instructions to the American representatives to the Paris meeting will be explicit. Congress has passed war debt settlements in the hands of the debt commission and no one other than that body is authorized to discuss the subject with agents of other countries.

### SCIENCE ASSOCIATION CLOSES CONVENTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Final sessions of the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science concluded today what officers of the association declared to have been the greatest assemblage of scientists ever gathered in the United States.

Today the scientific work of the late C. LeRoy Meigs of the weather bureau, killed during a balloon flight last summer. His work was declared by Charles F. Marvin, chief of the bureau to have been of the greatest value in forecasting for aviators.

The scientists during their week sessions endorsed the plan for a new calendar of 13 months of four weeks each; the establishment in Washington of a National Botanical Garden and of a national park along Glacier Bay, Alaska. The proposed extensive study of the oceans by the navy also was approved.

Award of the \$1,000 association prize to the author of the most insignificant paper read at the meeting will not be announced for several days.

The next meeting of the association will be held in Kansas City, in December.

## Hight and Sweetin Woman Are Sentenced

### Mont Vernon, Ill. Jan. 3. (AP)—With the declaration that she was equally as reprehensible as her past lover and warrant—a sentence equally as severe, Judge J. C. Kern today overruled motions for a new trial for Mrs. Bess Sweetin and Lawrence M. Hight, deceased pastor, convicted of the murder of her husband, Wilford Sweetin, and formally sentenced the man to life imprisonment and the woman to 25 years.

Hight will be sent to the Southern Illinois penitentiary at Joliet tomorrow, while Mrs. Sweetin will be taken to the penitentiary at Stateville Monday.

In passing sentence, the judge took both defendants to task for their part in the poison plot telling Mrs. Sweetin that it was a man's business to take care of a man's business and that a man has become a minister does not remove him from the temptations to which other men are subjected. It does not change his nature.

"How you could have gone to the extreme of taking human life to accomplish your purpose, I cannot understand, how, in view of your connection with his death, you pretended to have converted Wilford Sweetin, or how you could poison his funeral sermon. Such conduct makes your case rare and unusual. It has been due to some condition of your mind that I cannot understand."

Hight received the sentence without display of emotion, but tears came to Mrs. Sweetin's eyes when the judge began speaking. Letters signed by the judge and state's attorney, recommending that neither Hight nor Mrs. Sweetin be admitted to parole, will be sent to the prison authorities.

Further than stating that they contained strong recommendations because of the atrocious character of the crime, and that leniency be shown, the officials said.

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## TWO MORE OF ANNUAL SUPPLY BILLS GO TO SENATE FOR ACTION

### Estimates By House For Interior And Agriculture Raised

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Two more of the annual supply bills for the interior and agricultural departments were reported today by the senate appropriations committee, making three now awaiting senate action. The other is the postal and treasury measure reported yesterday.

The interior bill carries a total of \$238,921,102, an increase of \$1,440,414 over the house measure, while the agriculture bill provides for \$124,788,478, an advance of \$125,095 over the house total.

The bill for the interior department is approximately \$200,000,000 under the appropriations for this year and less than \$1,000,000 under the budget estimate. The agriculture bill is \$5,074,042 in excess of the appropriations for this year, but \$2,563,322 under the budget estimate.

The increase over this year is due largely to appropriations for good roads.

The main senate increases in the agriculture bill are \$50,252 for collecting, publishing and distributing market information; \$19,390 for the investigation and improvement of cereals.

### MILITARY AVIATION AND COMMERCE ALLIED

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—Commercial air development is so closely related to military aviation that any international conference on aerial disarmament will have to deal with a commercial air need, said British General Lord Thompson, former minister for air, in an address before the foreign policy association today.

The aerial test of a nation's sincerity toward a permanent world peace is aerial disarmament, he said, adding that military aviation moves forward step by step with commercial aviation.

The next war was pictured by the speaker not as a war before professional soldiers, but a conflict between peoples in which huge cruising ships and planes will use chemicals and explosives for the extermination of cities and non-combatant populations. This war would be settled by a great aerial battle he said, but by a general destruction of the behind the lines there.

## INAUGURAL BALL EXPECTED TO BE GRANDEST KNOWN

### Incoming Officials Honored Guests Of Hamilton Club

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—A reception and ball for the incoming officials, will equal if not surpass any of the inaugural balls of the past, will be held at the state arsenal in Springfield on January 12, the night of the inauguration, with the incoming state officials as the honored guests and the Hamilton Club of Chicago as the host.

Assurances have been received by Alexander Fyfe, of the Hamilton Club, not only that all of the incoming officials, from Governor Small down to the last state representative will attend, but that the cream of Illinois social world will also be present.

More than 2,500 invitations to the leading Republicans of Illinois were sent out today and already on special trains have been chartered to convey the Chicago delegation to the capital.

Coinciding with the reception and ball will be a dinner given at Springfield with the Chicago Motor Club and the Springfield Automobile Club as guests, and many of those who will attend the ball also will attend the dinner.

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"The compensation received for services rendered in connection with municipally owned water system is not exempt from income tax."

In addition, the solicitor ruled on two other questions about the same line holding that the maintenance and employees of a cafeteria conducted in connection with public school or by school boards must pay a tax on their compensation.

"In general," the opinion added, "the rule that exemptions from taxation are to be strictly construed should be applied and no indulgence should be taken in favor of the taxpayer in doubtful cases."

This declaration was not construed at the bureau as making the ruling apply to other municipal institutions. It was reiterated that the wide divergence of state laws and the manifold methods of handling the city or state-owned services made it probable that hundreds of cases will have to be decided on their merits.

As a result of the ruling and the anticipated decision of other similar questions in like fashion, every city or state or other political subdivision operating such quasi-public institutions, it is expected, will find it necessary to go thru its records and furnish the collector of their respective districts with full information about their employees, present and past.

From these the collectors will be able to pick out down the persons who have not paid the tax, returns believing that they were not subject to the federal income because they were employees of institutions exempt by law.

Knowledge of the bureau's ruling came upon request by Senator Shortridge of California, who sought to obtain from Commissioner Blair reasons for the assessment of taxes on employees of the municipally-owned water and light system of the city of California. The commissioner's letter to Senator Shortridge resulted in the bar making public the ruling.

### COUNTERFEIT LIQUOR LABEL GANG ARRESTED

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—Eight men were under arrest tonight in connection with a conspiracy to sell counterfeit whisky labels and revenue stamps to Chicago bootleggers and beer runners. The prisoners believed to be members of a band led by William Nathan, an employee in the office of the city assessor, were held on bonds of \$10,000 each pending the hearing of their cases January 14.

Those under arrest were: Walter Metz, printer; William Kinella, owner of a printer's shop; Sol Rubin, alleged liquor dealer; Murphy Menke, head of a corporation dealing in horse racing information; Jerry Jamison, chauffeur; Julian Ruby, stamp dealer; Yale Shamberg, drug store owner and Meyer Fine, occupation unknown.

Nathan had not been apprehended.

## MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES SUBJECT TO INCOME TAX, STATES RULING

### Based On Court Decisions— Made Retroactive Back To 1918

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Employees of municipally owned institutions acting in a proprietary capacity rather than serving governmental purposes, such as water, light and street railway companies, are subject to income tax on their compensation. They will have to pay taxes on their incomes as far back as 1918, and the bureau of internal revenue has notified collectors of internal revenue to compel the filing of returns over three years.

The ruling, far reaching in its application, is based on court decisions in several sections of the country which have held, in effect, that such institutions, as were named, were not exempt from private enterprise and should enjoy a similar footing with respect to certain taxation features. Officials of the bureau declined to be definite in the application of the ruling which was made by Solicitor Nelson T. Hartson, and the problem of enforcement has been left in the hands of internal revenue collectors.

There are a dozen or more cases, involving similar questions, pending before the bureau and it is the opinion of officials that final adjudication of these will materially in constraining and applying the law. None of the officials knew how many persons would be affected but the consensus of opinion was that the return to the government will be small even in the aggregate.

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### MCCLINTOCK CASE IS PROBABLY CLOSED

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—William D. Sheppard who reared William McClinton, 21-year-old "Millionaire Orphan" and inherited most of the young man's fortune under the terms of his will tonight prepared to leave tomorrow for Albuquerque, N. M., in the belief that no further action would be taken in the investigation of the death of McClinton's father, John McClinton.

Joseph Savary, a circuit state's attorney said he was contemplating no further action unless additional witnesses' names were brought before him and expressed the opinion that the investigation would end with the conclusion of the coroner's inquest next Tuesday.

Mr. Sheppard yesterday challenged Judge Harry Olson of the municipal court to make known those who had brought his name into the case and Judge Olson said he might consider doing so if libel action were waived.

## MOSES TO PRESS POSTAL BILL IN SENATE MONDAY

### Wants Consideration Of Coolidge's Veto To Follow

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. — Failing to obtain immediate senate action today on the administration measure to increase postal salaries and raise Senator Moses, Republican, Nev. Hampshire, in charge of the bill, gave notice that he would press for action Monday before there is opportunity for consideration of President Coolidge's veto of the salary bill passed by congress.

With many congressmen favoring a straight out fight on the executive's veto, some leaders were doubtful that the majority required to bring up the new administration measure could be obtained.

When Senator Moses after explaining in detail the provisions for rate increases, asked unanimous consent today for immediate consideration of the bill, Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, objected. He previously had asked the reasons for action on this measure before the veto was voted upon.

Meanwhile Senator Odjio, Republican, Nevada, a member of the postoffice committee, served notice he would make a fight against the proposed one cent a pound increase on advertising matter in publications subject to the act and second rate rates. Publishers have protested vigorously against this rate change.

Readjustment of second class rates ordered by the committee will yield an additional \$5,500,000 in revenue annually as against \$10,000,000 proposed by the administration. Senator Moses said in explaining the bill, the readjustment affecting first, third and fourth class mail would be proposed by the postoffice department are satisfactory to President Coolidge. Mr. Moses said after a visit to the white house.

Under a previous agreement the senate will take up President Coolidge's veto of the pay bill on Monday not later than 2 o'clock and vote on it by Tuesday, not later than 1 o'clock. Thus if the double-barreled administration bill increasing rates as well as salaries is taken up Monday it will be passed within two hours or the veto automatically will come up for consideration.

Should the new measure be approved it is considered doubtful that a vote will be taken on the veto. Discussing this vote today, Senator Moses declared his faith that the veto would be sustained. If it was not, he announced he would press for early action on the rate increase measure. Otherwise, he also favored action on the pay and rate increase bill with the provision for hearings on rate increases to be held in the summer.

Senator Norris suggested that the postal pay bill be passed over the veto and that the committee then continue hearings immediately on rate increases to be considered later.

### JOHNSON'S OAKLAND OFFICE IS REFUSED

Oakland, Cal. Jan. 3. (AP)—Walter Johnson's cash offer of \$335,000 to purchase the Oakland baseball club, was flatly refused today by Cal Ewing, owner of the club's franchise in the Pacific Coast League. It was understood that the Washington pitcher held an option to buy the Oaks but the time limit had expired, it was said. Ewing informed Johnson that the club was no longer for sale.

Johnson stated that he would return to Reno tonight or tomorrow.

### THE DAY IN WASHINGTON

(By The Associated Press)  
The house debated the army appropriation bill.  
Officials decided not to comment on the French debt situation until all of the facts were before them.

Senator Moses, New Hampshire, announced the new postal rate bill was satisfactory to President Coolidge.

Aggregate net earnings of the 12 Federal Reserve banks for 1924 were placed at \$3,700,000 by the reserve board.

Senator Dial, South Carolina, declared Democratic members of congress were responsible for the November defeat of John W. Davis.

Congressional leaders prepared to seek enactment of emergency farm legislation based on recommendations of the agricultural commission.

Ambassadors Kellogg and Herrick with James A. Logan were designated to represent the United States at the allied finance ministers meeting in Paris next Wednesday.

The internal revenue bureau notified its collectors that certain employees of municipally owned institutions are subject to and must pay federal income taxes retroactive to 1918.







## BEST COPYREADER

## IN CHICAGO DEAD

Chicago, Jan. 3. (AP)—George Conrad Bastian, known among Chicago newspapermen as the best copyreader in the city, died suddenly today at the St. Francis

hospital in Evanston, a suburb, following an operation for appendicitis early this week. He was an instructor in the Medill School of Journalism, and was employed on the Chicago Tribune staff.

RECLUSE REQUESTED  
BOBY BE MUMMIFIED

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 3. (AP)—A hermetically sealed bronze casket weighing half a ton, the body of Joseph Marconnot, 64-year-old bachelor recluse, who directed in his will that his body be prepared for burial by a process of mummification similar to that used on King Tutankhamen and other Egyptian sovereigns, was placed today in the family vault at Mount Olive Cemetery.

Hundreds of curiosity seekers attended the funeral services. Marconnot's wish that his body be preserved indefinitely was attributed by relatives to a horror of decomposition after death.

Upon deduction of \$1,500 for funeral expenses, the residue of Marconnot's \$70,000 estate, under the will, is to be divided among two nephews and a niece.

BIGAMIST SURRENDERS  
TO "LASE CONSCIENCE"

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 3. (AP)—A woman walked into Syracuse police headquarters today and said: "I am a bigamist and want to give myself up."

She gave her name as Mrs. Florence May Barker-Kirkman.

Johnston-Ritter, Attorney, said she had entered in four marital experiences before she was 20. One husband obtained a divorce, the second abandoned her, and the third she left, she said. The fourth, Joseph Kirkman, Attorney, accompanied her to police station.

She gave herself up, she explained, to ease her conscience.

GREAT BRITAIN STILL  
THROES OF STORM

London, Jan. 3. (AP)—The heavy rain which has caused great damage in the British Isles and which moderated somewhat today, apparently has not yet spent its force. Rain again started falling in the Midlands, and was reported in the Scottish Highlands.

Reports of distressed shipping continue.

A stranded South Wales, a

trapped vessel, a lumber train

to struggle over an embankment

which the engineer and fireman

the train wreck destroyed the

the power cables connected

with the power house 1,000 feet

away and up.

FORTY ACRES OF LAND  
BRINGS RECORD PRICE

Waukegan, Ill., Jan. 3. (AP)—Charles H. Brown of Lake Forest today transferred to acres west of that town to W. W. Buchanan, Chicago, for \$100,000, this being a record for a single tract of land.

## TRY A JOURNAL WANT AD

More Hogs,  
More Money

To have more money from hogs it means get more hogs and use less corn, and to do this you need a Grinder and Self Feeder.

A Special  
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We have a car load of the Famous United Feed Grinders in all sizes. The grinder with the self-sharpening Diamond Disc Burr. We will grind more feed with less power than any other make. Call in and we will show you why?

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CHAMPION  
SALESMAN

BY ALBERT APPLE

How much insurance do you carry? The American people start 1925 with their lives insured for a total of 64,000 million dollars.

This amounts to about \$660 of insurance for every man, woman and child.

All records were broken during 1924, when 1,500 million dollars of new life policies were taken out by the people.

The public has three times as much life insurance as it has money in saving banks. The two are closely related. Life insurance is a scientific method of saving money.

A considerable part of the population lacks the thrift instinct. They are unable to save systematically. To such people, life insurance is doubly a blessing. It is equivalent to having a saving account and paying for it on the installment plan.

A nation that has 64,000 million dollars of life insurance, a third as much in saving banks, and fabulous savings invested in homes, certainly cannot be accused of being a spendthrift.

The main purpose of life insurance, of course, is protection for dependents in event the breadwinner dies. The fear that his death would bring financial suffering to his family haunts the man who has not provided for the future.

Such a man is food for the great destroyer, Fear.

Fear lowers his efficiency. It

checks his progress.

For, with Fear, comes Worry.

And Worry scatters a man's

forces. It keeps him from success.

These are just a few of the reasons why the American people

start 1925 in a spirit of confidence, with a minimum of anxiety.

Behind them is the reassuring

protection of 64,000 million dollars worth of life insurance and a

third as much money in savings banks.

The life insurance salesman,

truly considered a pest, is

really one of our best friends

who buttonholes us with his

tests and arguments. In one year

he has sold the American public

13,500 million dollars worth of

life policies. In the broad field

of salesmanship he certainly

holds his own above all.

## Pensions

Indo Sam to date has paid out about 7,000 million dollars in pensions to veterans and their dependents of our various wars of the past. Over half a million Americans are now on the pension rolls. The bulk of payments have been to Civil War pensioners.

The day may come when veterans of peace will be paid old age pensions. Then again, it may not.

Alaska

The next state to be added to our Union will be Alaska, now a

territory. Alaska aspires to statehood within four years, according to its governor, Scott Bone.

PROFESSOR'S WIFE  
IS REFUSED DIVORCE

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—Mrs. Helen Journey was today denied a divorce from Prof. R. J. Journey of the State Agricultural College Raleigh, N. C. In announcing his decision Judge Joseph Sabath said he believed Mrs. Journey still "loved her husband but was too stubborn to admit it."

Professor Journey's cross bill was taken under advisement.

Judge Sabath warned Oscar Harmon, law student named as

correspondent against remaining a member of the household.

"Despite the evidence against you," the court told Harmon, "and despite the usual interpretation of your actions, I am not convinced of Mrs. Journey's infidelity."

"But too much nonsense has been going on between you. Professor Journey is wrapped up in his work. He is a man of unusual intelligence and unwise in the ways of the world."

"Mrs. Journey is a charming, little woman, cultured and refined, and was once fond of her husband. I think she still loves him, but is a bit self-willed and stubborn now."

KENNEDY FAVORED FOR  
SECRETARY-TREASURER

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 3.—Thomas Kennedy of Hazelton, Pa., president of District No. 7, United Mine Workers of America, apparently is the favorite of international executive board members for the position of Secretary-Treasurer of the union to succeed William Green who has been elected president of the American Federation of Labor. Members of the executive board began arriving today to attend a meeting Monday at which President John L. Lewis is expected to submit his selection of a successor to Mr. Green for the board's approval. No intimation has come from Mr. Lewis regarding his choice.

RIFLE THOUGHT UNLOADED  
KILLS MINER'S WIFE

Madisonville, Ky., Jan. 3.—Mrs. Janet Phaton, 27, a miner's wife, was shot thru the heart and instantly killed today when her son, Fritz, aged six, pulled the trigger of a rifle which he thought was unloaded. Mrs. Phaton collapsed near an open grate and her body was badly burned. A coroner's jury found that death was accidental.

NO GREAT CHANGES  
IN AUTO MODELS

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—The silver jubilee of the automotive industry was celebrated here tonight at the informal opening of the national auto, mobile show. A million dollars worth of cars, ranging in price from less than \$500 to \$10,000 were on exhibition. There were 500 cars on the floor. Fifty seven manufacturers had exhibits while there 245 special displays and accessory exhibits. There were no startling changes noticed in the 1925 models and leading manufacturers predicted that the cars of the type generally prevalent in the more recent years had come to stay. It was noticed that more cars were equipped with four wheel brakes than ever before. A continued tendency toward balloon and semi-balloon tires also was noticed.

The general luxurious types of cars on display caused many veteran enthusiasts to remark the tremendous advance of the industry in 25 years when cars were crude affairs and a novelty. Latest statistics show a national registration of 17,000,000 cars or about one to every six persons.

SEVERAL MEXICAN  
SHIPS STILL MISSING

Mexico City, Jan. 3.—Uncertainty still exists as to the fate of several of the vessels caught in the recent storm in the Gulf, among them the small Mexican steamer Tamalulpa, with 200 passengers and the crew on board which was enroute from Vera Cruz to Frontera when the hurricane broke out. She is still unreported but hope is expressed that she sought refuge in some sheltered cove and rode out the storm safely. The steamer Covarrubias is attempting to locate the schooner Isidoro and Rayo, which are reported as long overdue.

FIND TRIPLE TRAGEDY  
ON PACIFIC COAST

Long Beach, Cal., Jan. 3.—A double murder and suicide at Alamitos Bay, near here was revealed today when the bodies of D. Verne Hogue, printer, and his wife, 14 months old child were found in a small dwelling at the bay shore, deputy sheriffs said. Hogue's relatives said he had been suffering from shell shock. Hogue's pistol was found by his side.

PRINCE OTTO AND  
MOTHER MAY RETURN

VIENNA, Jan. 3. (AP)—The present agitation aroused by the Hungarian legitimist party for the return to Hungary of former Crown Prince Otto and his mother, ex-empress Zita, apparently is gaining ground. The Austrian Christian-Socialist and Monarchist parties have appointed a parliamentary committee to investigate the legality of the law of 1918 confiscating the Austrian property belonging to Hapsburg dynasty.

The Social Democrats, however, have announced their determination to frustrate any action in this direction.

Dispatches from Budapest last month reported further evidence of a reawakened Hapsburg movement in Hungary and said that the former Empress Zita in a letter to Count Albert Aponyi, representative of the Hungarian legitimists, expressed the conviction that her son "King" Otto would be reunited with his fatherland.

EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS  
BRIGHT THROUGHOUT COUNTRY

Washington, Jan. 3. (AP)—Prospects for employment of workers are bright in every state, the United States employment service reported today, on the basis of returns from district offices. In the West generally the agricultural outlook was said to assume normal demand for labor while in the great industrial centers renewed factory and mill operation was either experienced or was expected.

New Jersey, New York and Illinois were said to have plant operations, construction work and agricultural activity increasing.

WANT KANSAS CITY POST  
HEARING ADVANCED

Washington, Jan. 3. (AP)—The government asked the supreme court today to advance the hearing of the case against Walter S. Dickey, owner and Ralph Ellis, managing editor of the Kansas City Journal-Post involving the right of newspapers to publish the name and amount of income tax paid by individuals. The case is the first of that character to reach the supreme court.

PASSES COUNTERFEIT  
STAMPS, IS ARRESTED

Chicago, Jan. 3. (AP)—Edna, a woman, in a branch of the Chicago postoffice was arrested by secret service operative today charged with passing counterfeit war savings stamps by means of his official position. In an alleged confession he is said to have admitted he obtained more than \$3,000 by this practice. Edna was held under \$4,000 bond.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of  
Chattanooga, Tenn., visiting  
relatives near Murrayville.

Corbin lost his sense of smell also, but the men suffered no physical injuries. It is not known how soon they will recover. There were 55,000 pounds of pressure on the apparatus when it exploded.

Alice Simpkin of Griggsville spent Saturday in Jacksonville.

TWO INJURED IN  
MAKING EXPERIMENTS

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 3. (AP)—Explosion of a hand bomb during an experiment on combustion of oil under high pressure caused temporary blindness to Dr. J. M. Bradley of the University of Illinois and J. M. Corbin, graduate student late today.

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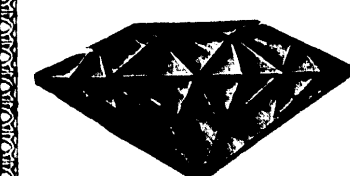
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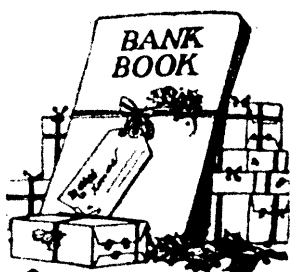
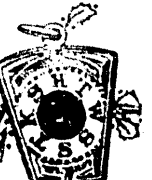
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## MUSSOLINI STAGES DRAMATIC SCENE

ROME, Jan. 3. (AP)—Premier Mussolini demonstrated in the chamber of deputies today that he has in no wise lost his magnetic power of stirring the imagination of his audience. Assuming the confident fighting feature of the palmy first days of fascism he staged a dramatic scene which threw the chamber into volleys of applause. So great was the enthusiasm that at the conclusion of his speech the fascist deputies shouted, jumped over benches and embraced one another.

He made a profound impression by his declaration that the situation would be cleared up within 48 hours and that the government had the strength to destroy the opposition—those deputies who have refused to participate in the work of parliament.

DEAF WOMAN 'HEARS' GRANDSON ON RADIO

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 3.—Deaf for a decade, Mrs. Elizabeth Murphy, aged 102, reputed to be the oldest woman in Minneapolis, "listened in" on the radio here tonight and heard her great grandson, Sylvester Cartill play the xylophone. Cartill was on the program here at WCCO.

Trade union organizations of England pay the campaign expenses of their political candidates.

Many American birds will be exhibited at the poultry show in Cuba the latter part of February.

## FRENCH COAST HIT BY HEAVY STORM

PARIS, Jan. 3. (AP)—A full gale was lashing the French seaboard at Brest tonight and a torrential rain was flooding the nearby country. The river Elorn has overflowed, while the towns of Landivisau, Chateaulin and Quimper are inundated by several feet of water. More than 4,000 sacks of wheat in the Quimper flour mills have been damaged.

The Lorient wireless station announced that the steamer Da-honey, which today summoned assistance after having been crippled by the storm had been swept away from the powerful tugs which were towing her to Lorient. The steamer was reported to be drifting amidst dangerous shoals. Seventy men comprise the crew.

## JUDGE ADVOCATE GETS NAVAL CORRESPONDENCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Secretary Wilbur has received and read the report of the special naval board of inquiry which investigated in New York the publication of correspondence between Captain Hugo W. Osterhouse at the War College, Newport, R. I., and Captain Robert L. Berry, in charge of naval recruiting at New York, held to have contained certain confidential information.

The report has been referred to Rear Admiral Latimer, judge advocate general for review. Secretary Wilbur would not disclose in advance of the report from Admiral Latimer whether court martial proceedings against either of the officers were contemplated. The inquiry board did not disclose anything not already known to the navy department, Secretary Wilbur said.

## HONDURAN BANDITS LOOT U. S. MAILBAGS

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras (By AP)—American business interests in Honduras are concerned over the utter carelessness which has characterized the handling of mail matter within Honduran territory, from the United States. Serious losses and much inconvenience have resulted.

It seems that some 150 sacks of mail from America accumulated recently at Pito Solo, near Calse Yojoa, in a wooden building. Marauders came that way, and as the sacks were unguarded, they looted them all. Letters, documents, checks, drafts, invoices, etc., were scattered about in the fields, and the mail sacks themselves carried off to be used as rain coats.

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## CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. Ed Collins was a Saturday visitor in the retail district from the Prentice neighborhood.

Mrs. R. B. Smalley of Waverly visited Jacksonville relatives Friday evening.

Mrs. John L. Naylor of Avenza visited on a Saturday Jacksonville shopper.

Mrs. G. V. Finn of Ashland visited in the business district yesterday.

Mrs. N. H. Crain was among the Saturday callers in Jacksonville from Woodson.

Miss Myrtle Perbix of Concord spent Saturday in Jacksonville on a shopping tour.

Mrs. Lawrence Murray was among the Saturday callers in Jacksonville from Winchester.

W. L. Noel of Emmett, Idaho, called on Jacksonville friends yesterday, while enroute from the eastern states to his home.

Lloyd Anderson of Chapin was a Saturday business caller in Jacksonville.

E. E. Barr was among the callers in the city yesterday from Arcadia.

Misses Etta Markham and Helen Schults of Chapin were Saturday shoppers in Jacksonville.

Bert Way of Concord transacted business in the county seat yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cree Smith and son residing west of the city, visited in the business district yesterday afternoon.

Miss Josephine Hines of Decatur is spending a few days as the guest of her aunt, Miss Kittie Donovan, in this city.

Mrs. Etta Perbix was a Chapin shopper in the city Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Hubbs was a local shopper from Prentice vicinity Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christman were Saturday shoppers in the city from Mercedosa.

Miss Mae Douglas was a Franklin shopper in the city Saturday.

William Johnson of Island Grove vicinity was a Saturday caller in the city.

George and Harold Cockin were Saturday business visitors here from Alexander.

Clark Hills of Franklin transacted business here Saturday.

Jewell Graff of Ashland transacted business in the city yesterday.

Myrtle Stearns of Rockport was among the out of town callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Charles E. Cussins of Franklin spent Saturday in business interests in this city.

Etta Perbix of Chapin transacted business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. Roy Smith of Franklin shopped in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. Ed Lear of Chapin spent Saturday in Jacksonville.

Out of town visitors in the city yesterday included Harold Hayhurst of Woodson.

Howard McCullough and wife of Riggsport made a business trip to Jacksonville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gibbs of Winchester were among the business callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

Frank Dowdy and son, William of White Hall spent Saturday as business callers in Jacksonville.

Mrs. R. W. Whitlock of Concord was a Jacksonville shopper yesterday.

TRY A JOURNAL WANT AD

## NEWLYWEDS "GOUGED" BY CHICAGO JUSTICES

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—Sheriff Peter M. Hoffman today stationed deputy sheriffs at the marriage license bureau to protect prospective husbands from profiteering officials performing marriage ceremonies. The action was taken after many complaints had been made by newlyweds that they were "gouged" for certain municipal court judges and justices of the peace to the offices of these officials and after the ceremony were "kougued."

Sheriff Hoffman said he had found one judge had married 748 couples in less than six months and another who had married 93 couples in 22 days. A marriage court adjoining the marriage bureau charges \$5 to perform the ceremony but blushing brides and flustered bridegrooms often are unable to find it, Sheriff Hoffman said.

ALEXANDER

Alexander, Jan. 3. Rev. Arthur S. Chapman will be here to deliver a sermon at the regular church hour, today and will also administer sacrament at the same service.

Miss Catherine McCarthy has returned from a visit at the home of William McCarthy at Springfield.

Mrs. James Nugor of Dawson, Ill., was a visitor this week at the home of Mrs. Mary Nugor.

John Nugor is ill at his home here.

Miss Katherine Morgan is a guest at the home of her aunt, Miss Mary Woods in Springfield.

Mrs. A. R. Webster and daughter were in Jacksonville today to visit Mr. Webster who is a patient at Our Savior's hospital.

Mrs. E. E. Mason and daughter Martha of Jacksonville were guests of friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts have moved to the farm of C. A. Rowe south of Jacksonville.

P. A. Eck living south of Alexander has rented his farm, and will move his family to Springfield Monday where he has bought a home.

The Altar Society of the Church of the Visitation held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Barbara Ludwig this week.

HEALTH OF PEORIA

SCHOOL CHILDREN GOOD

Peoria, Ill. — Excellent health of the school children of this city was as one of the leading cities in the state along this line, according to Dr. A. A. Cross, school medical director. Attendance at school is higher than at any time in recent years for this time of the year, being better than 90 percent perfect in some cases, the doctor said.

Guatemala is to have an electric railway line and power plant to be built by a German concern.

Clarence McMillan was a business caller in Alexander Saturday.

## HIGHT AND SWEETIN WOMAN ARE SENTENCED

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chals refused to make public the contents of the letters.

In a public statement Mrs. Sweetin reiterated her innocence. "I am going away to serve the sentence imposed upon me," the statement said, "without any ill feeling toward any one excepted and I am ruined by this and that of my family without any encouragement whatsoever from me."

"I have no fault to find with any of the members of the jury that convicted me, but I hope they will live until it is demonstrated to them and the world that I am innocent, as I know I am, and God knows I am."

"To all the other people who expressed me so kindly, I wish to express my thanks, and to those that have said and done things that have hurt me, I have no ill feeling, for I am sure that had they known all the facts and circumstances they would not have said and done the things they did. They are tearing me away from my three precious little boys for whom I would give my life. I am looking forward to a better day when the world will know the truth and will know they have caused an innocent woman to suffer."

Mrs. Sweetin said she entered no enmity to the judge who passed sentence upon her. "He was like all the others, he misunderstood me, was for only a moment."

Altho Hight asked Sheriff Grant Holcomb to be permitted to talk to Mrs. Sweetin for a few minutes, "now that all is over," the latter was emphatic in her refusal to consent to an interview.

"No," he said, when informed of Hight's request, "I never want to lay eyes on that man again."

Hight also continued to protest his innocence.

"I had a jury of farmers try me," he said, "What could you expect from those fellows that go to bed with the chickens. They think everybody that is around is guilty."

He showed considerable indignation when informed that Mrs. Sweetin had declined his request for a short talk with her.

Mrs. Sweetin stated she has hopes of appealing her case to the supreme court, declaring that she has received many letters from people in Illinois and other states, offering to assist her.

When asked if she considered Hight mentally deranged, Mrs. Sweetin said she did not know.

"No, he's not crazy," she just said.

Among visitors from Chicago in rural districts in the city Saturday were James Doherty, Alex. Ferguson and Herman Barndt.

Clarence McMillan was a business caller in Alexander Saturday.

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## JAP HOSPITALS GET AID FROM U. S. RED CROSS

WASHINGTON (AP)—The memorial hospital to be constructed in Tokio from the unused portion of earthquake relief fund of the American Red Cross will be of reinforced concrete and will not exceed three stories. These features are designed to make the building as nearly earthquake proof as possible.

Reports to Red Cross headquarters in Washington reveal that the Japanese will build a branch hospital in Yokohama. Work on the buildings will begin next spring.

The Japanese will spend \$1,500,000 of the unused relief fund for the two buildings, reserving the remaining \$1,500,000 as an endowment.

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)

Report of the condition of

**FARRELL STATE BANK**

located at Jacksonville, State of Illinois at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1924, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES

Loans on Real Estate (1a) \$ 70,585.00

Loans on Collateral (1b) 233,078.21

Other Loans (1c) 904,443.38

Overdrafts (2) 1,675.39

U. S. Government Investments (3) 91,950.00

Other Bonds and Stocks (4) 223,865.00

Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures (5) 61,010.50

Other Real Estate (6) 12,667.32

Due from Banks, Cash and Other Cash Resources (7) 297,313.77

Total Resources \$1,992,618.66

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock (1) 200,000.00

Surplus (2) 40,000.00

Undivided Profits (3) 5,640.36

Time Deposits (4a) 507,602.16

Demand Deposits (4b) 1,018,150.00

Due to Banks (5a) 111,871.19

Dividends Unpaid (5b) 6,000.00

Reserve Accounts (6) 14,557.94

Total Liabilities \$1,992,618.66

I, M. W. Osborne, Cashier of the Farrell State Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the items and amounts shown above correspond with the items and amounts shown in the report made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

M. W. OSBORNE, Cashier.

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Let the advertisements keep you alert, progressive.

Let them help you save.

## VIRGINIA

Virginia, Jan. 3. Miss Mary Frances Crum entertained at a slumber party this week in honor of some of her girl friends who are home from school or their vacation. A social evening was enjoyed and a light luncheon was served at one o'clock a. m. After the slumber party the guests remained for breakfast the next morning. Among those present were Misses Hazel Vergen, Greta Gill, Mary Jockisch, Edna Caldwell, Mary Nesbit, Hildreth Noeker and Bernita Fisher.

The Masons and the Eastern Star held a joint installation meeting at the lodge rooms Tuesday night. About one hundred members attended. The installing officers for the occasion were: Masons, H. L. Holbrook, of Beardstown; Mr. Fagan, of Fredrick; Eastern Star, Mesdames Henry Jacobs and H. H. Biddlecome.

A delicious two-course luncheon was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star.

John T. Dooling is the guest of relatives and friends in Monroe City, Mo.

Mrs. Warren Watkins underwent an operation for appendicitis at the St. John's hospital in Springfield the first of the week.

Mrs. Florence White of Chicago, came Thursday for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Ayres.

Mrs. Carl Markel is visiting her mother at Carpentersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Barrett of Edinburg are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smidrick.

Morton Dorothy of Rock Island is visiting in Virginia.

R. H. Drinkwater of Detroit, Mich., spent the holidays with his parents.

Howard Anderson of Chicago spent the week in Virginia.

Edgar Salzenstein of White Water, Wis., and LeRoy Salzenstein, of Chicago, are visiting in Virginia.

Howard McDowell and daughter spent the week in Virginia.

L. T. Simak of Stratton, Nebraska, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jake Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Menzies of Chicago spent the week in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Yapple and son of Detroit, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Yapple.

Miss Mary Hunt of Springfield spent the week in Virginia.

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## Social and Club Events

### SOCIAL

#### Miss Lucy Jones Hostess to Guests for Dancing

Among the closing events of the holiday season was the house dance given last night, at which Miss Lucy Elizabeth Jones charmingly entertained a number of the younger set at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. S. Jones, of the Mount Road.

The hostess had arranged a delightful evening's entertainment, which included dancing and feature contests. Several guests won prizes during the contests, and favors were given during the dancing by the hostess. At eleven

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o'clock, a luncheon was served. The guests of the evening were Misses Catherine Goodell, Zoe Marshall, Martha McPhail, Barbara Kennedy, Frances Guffy, Mildred Mason, Elizabeth Graft, Margaret Riley, Dorothy Graham, members of the A. F. C. club and Miss Virginia Coffman, 223 Hardin avenue. The affair was given as a surprise on Miss McGinnis and the evening's entertainment included dancing and games. Refreshments were served.

The guest list included Misses Mary Crowe, Blanche Chambers, Jessie Perry, Lucille Coverly, Clara Bond, Elizabeth Crowe, Helen Frost, Marie McSherry, Jeanette Massey, Ada Council and Viola Coffman.

### CLUBS

#### Blinner Party Honors Newlyweds

Mr. and Mrs. William Wieber, whose marriage took place Thursday afternoon, were complimented at dinner Friday night, when a number of guests were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Winchester, 840 West Lafayette avenue. Other guests included Miss Baumgardner of Chicago, bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hark, and Leon Ginnery, Mrs.

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#### Mardi Club Guests at Green Home

Guests who included members of the Mardi club and their husbands were entertained Friday night by Mrs. Hugh Green, 711 West North street, who entertained in honor of the anniversary of her husband, State's Attorney Hugh Green.

#### Party Honors Miss McGinnis

Miss Mary McGinnis was guest of honor at an informal dinner given Friday night at the home of Miss Virginia Coffman, 223 Hardin avenue. The affair was given as a surprise on Miss McGinnis and the evening's entertainment included dancing and games. Refreshments were served.

The guest list included Misses Mary Crowe, Blanche Chambers, Jessie Perry, Lucille Coverly, Clara Bond, Elizabeth Crowe, Helen Frost, Marie McSherry, Jeanette Massey, Ada Council and Viola Coffman.

The Women's Union of the First Baptist church will meet in the church parlors, Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. White Cross work.

The Pastors' Hospital Aid Society will meet Wednesday Jan. 7th at the K. of C. Hall on East State street at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. John W. Buckley and Mrs. J. M. Morrison will be the hostesses. A good attendance is desired.

The Wednesday Class will meet this week with Miss McGinnis at West State street.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of Grace Church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church parlors.

The Mount Woman's Club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Boddy, west of the city.

The History Club will meet next Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 7th at the home of Miss Grace Carter on West State street. Mrs. W. A. Day will be program leader. The subject will be "Chad." Assistants will be Mrs. J. W. Walton, Mrs. A. R. Gregory and Mrs. W. B. Young.

The Service Star Legion will meet next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Christian church, west entrance. A full meeting is desired.

The Fine Point club will meet with Mrs. Charles Scott on West-ninth street next Friday afternoon at 7:30 o'clock.

The Women's Missionary society of Congregational church will meet on Tuesday, January 6th, Mrs. M. H. Havenhill will be leader of the program. "New Year's greetings from far and near." Mrs. John Knapp will be hostess.

The January meeting of the Jacksonville Woman's club will be held at the Elks Home Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The civic committee with Mrs. A. C. Baldwin as chairman will be in charge of the program. Hon. Thomas E. Williamson will give the address.

The first meeting of the Chantade Musical club for 1925 will be held Monday at the home of Mrs. Charles Hopper, 351 North Plumbard street at 2:30 o'clock. A program from the works of Polish and Bohemian composers will be given.

The College Hill club will be entertained for a regular meeting Monday afternoon, January 5 at 2:30 o'clock by Mrs. J. R. Harker at the Illinois Woman's college.

### CHURCHES

#### Baptist W. W. G. To Hold Banquet Monday

Members of the World Wide Guild of First Baptist church will gather in the church parlors at 6:15 o'clock Monday evening for a banquet and program. Nine new members are to be initiated into the organization with fitting ceremonies. Miss Helen Shreve as chairman of the program committee and Miss Leota Tendick, chairman of the social committee with their assistants are arranging the affair. The president, Mrs. Edith Mason, will have charge during the initiation.

A program of toasts will be given with Miss Mary Nevins as toastmistress. The word Grow will be used as a foundation and keynote of the program, as follows:

"Gratitude" — Miss Leila Elliott.  
"Responsibility" — Miss Hazel Fuller.  
"Opportunity" — Miss Ruth Easton.  
"Work" — Miss Ina Stewart.  
"Spiritually" — Miss Jennie Rabjohns.  
"Intellectually" — Miss Mabel Howerton.  
"Unselfishly" — Miss Helen Dumas.

Music for the evening will be furnished by Miss Aileen Rabjohns, and Miss Lucile McClellan will give a reading.

#### Makes Auto Go 49 Miles On One Gallon of Gas

Sioux Falls, S. Dak. — James A. Mayo of 811 Locust Bldg., has perfected an amazing new device that cuts down gas consumption, removes all carbon, prevents spark plug trouble and overheating. Many cars have made over 49 miles on a gallon. Any one can install it in five minutes. Mr. Mayo wants agents, and is offering to send one free to one auto owner in each locality. Write him today. Adv.

## Menus for a Family



Breakfast — Grapefruit, cereal cooked with dates, broiled bacon, calves' liver, stewed onions, creamed potatoes, graham muffins, milk, coffee.

Luncheon — Vegetable soup, tomatoes, orange salad, brown bread sandwiches, nut prune pudding, custard sauce, puff white cake, milk, tea.

Dinner — Veal timbales, place sweet potatoes, spinach in lemon butter, radishes, squash pudding, whole wheat rolls, milk, coffee. Juniors under school age should be given a glass of orange juice at least half an hour before eating their breakfast. Breakfast for them should consist of cereal, brown potatoes, toast and milk.

If the older children who must go some distance to school and carry their luncheon can be prevailed upon to eat the stewed onion or hot vegetable soup, but if they really are not "hearty" in the morning remember that discretion is the greater part of valor and don't spoil a perfectly good breakfast for the sake of a few shy vitamins and digestive material salts. Serve the onion soup for dinner after a day of outdoor sport and they will find favor.

Vegetable Soup — One-half cup celery, 1-2 cup potatoes, 1-4 cup cabbage, 1-3 cup carrots, 2 medium sized onions, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup stale bread crumbs from soft part of loaf, 4 cups boiling water, 1-1/2 cups sealed milk, 1 tablespoon minced parsley, 1-2 tablespoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon pepper.

Melt butter in sauce pan and add vegetables cut in small pieces.

Cook, stirring constantly, for 10 minutes. Keep the fire low. Add bread crumbs and boiling water and cook until vegetables are tender. It will take about half an hour. Season with salt and pepper, add milk and parsley and serve very hot.

Veal Timbales — Two tablespoons butter, 1 cup stale bread crumbs, 1 cup milk, 1 cup chopped cooked veal, few drops onion juice, 2 teaspoons minced parsley, 2 eggs, salt and pepper, paprika.

Melt butter, add bread crumbs and milk and cook until thick and smooth, stirring constantly. Add veal, seasonings and eggs slightly beaten. Turn into buttered molds. Put molds into a pan of hot water, cover with buttered paper and bake 30 minutes in a moderate oven.

Two-thirds cup light brown sugar, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1-4 teaspoon ginger, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 cups steamed squash, 2 cups sealed milk, 1-2 cup seeded raisins, 2 eggs.

Put squash through a colander after cooking. Mix sugar, spices, salt and raisins with squash. Add yolks of eggs beaten until thick and lemon colored and milk. Mix well and add whites of eggs beaten until stiff and dry. Turn into a buttered pudding dish and bake in a moderate oven 40 minutes. The pudding should be firm to the touch when it is done. Cool before serving.

This is good pudding to serve after a light meal. (Copyright, 1924, NEA Service, Inc.)

## TO HOLD GIBBS RITES THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services for John Gibbs who passed away Friday night at Passavant hospital following a brief illness, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Gillham Funeral Home.

The services will be in charge of Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church. Burial will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Mr. Gibbs was born on Nov. 7, 1871, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gibbs. On October 24, 1895 he was united in marriage to Loretta Hanson, who passed away on Oct. 1, 1919. To this union was born one daughter, Mrs. Harry Hadden of Springfield.

He was united in marriage twelve years ago on New Year's Day to Georgia Shurday who survives. He also leaves his aged wife. He also leaves his aged mother of Winchester and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Elbert Coultas, Edgar Gibbs, Benjamin Gibbs, Mrs. A. C. McCullough all of Scott county; Mrs. S. W. Babo of this city and Jesse L. Gibbs of Canton, Ill. His father and two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Gibbs and Mrs. Etta Hawk preceded him in death.

Mr. Gibbs was a member of a O. O. F. lodge No. 4 of this city. For the past year he has been employed by Warfield Brown, Jr. and prior to that employment he was associated in business with his brother-in-law, S. W. Babo. Mr. Gibbs was a successful business man and numbered his friends by the score. His death means a distinct loss not only to relatives and friends but to the community in which he made his home.

The remains were removed to Reynolds Mortuary and interment will take place Monday at the Jacksonville cemetery.

Word has been received here of the death of Wendell Herbert, a former resident of Jacksonville at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. L. McDonald in Chicago. Mr. Herbert had been in Chicago but two months. He had been a sufferer for the past 10 years and his death was not unexpected.

The remains will be brought to Jacksonville, where funeral services will be held on Monday morning at 9 o'clock at the Church of Our Saviour.

Casey — Marjorie Helen Casey, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Casey, passed away Thursday at Our Saviour's hospital. Brief services will be held and interment will take place this morning at 11:30 o'clock in Calvary cemetery.

The child is survived by her parents who reside north of Woodson and one brother, John.

OTTAWA MAN HEADS HOTEL ASSOCIATION — Chicago, Jan. 3. — Lew M. Harvey of Ottawa, Ill., was elected president of the Illinois Hotel Association at the close of the 24th annual convention here today.

Other officers included L. V. Metzger, Peoria, vice president; David L. Clark, Lincoln, treasurer and Charles W. Dull, Quincy, secretary. Members of the executive committee include William VanVliet, Danville E. S. Perry, Springfield and E. L. Thornton, Chicago.

C. N. S. & M. R. R. CO. RECORDS LARGE MORTGAGE — Waukegan, Ill., Jan. 3. — The Chicago North Shore & Milwaukee railroad company today recorded a mortgage for \$5,500,000 in favor of the Central Trust company, Chicago, the mortgage is to finance the taking over of the Chicago North Shore and Northern Railroad.

VISIT IN CAIRO — Mr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Skinner are visiting with relatives in Cairo, Ill.

Alonso McNeely was among the Murrayville callers in the city Saturday.

Joe Wilson made a business trip to the city from Lynnville Saturday.

Guy Bender and son were Alexander callers in the city Saturday.

## CONGRESSMAN'S WIFE TELLS OF GAMBLING LOSSES OF HUSBAND

Representatives Played For High Stakes at "Boar's Nest"

ALPENA, Mich., Jan. 3. (AP) — A story of gambling in which her husband participated with other congressmen in the "Boar's Nest" on K street in Washington, and of other events which she said marred her married life, ended in a separation from her husband, was told from the witness stand today by Mrs. Edna James Scott, in the hearing for divorce brought by Congresswoman Frank D. Scott, which Mrs. Scott is contending.

Occupying the stand throughout today's hearings, Mrs. Scott gave a full account of her married life, declaring her husband had shown coolness toward her and denying emphatically that she had been confidential with Mr. Scott's secretary, Miss Jane Kennedy. Miss Kennedy on the stand yesterday told of numerous occasions when, she said, Mrs. Scott had disclosed to her indiscretions which she had in turn told to her employer.

Before a court room crowded with persons anxious to hear the story told by Mrs. Edna James Scott in her testimony, in the divorce suit filed by her in bond, Frank D. Scott of Michigan which she is contending.

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"But we had it and the liquor was brought to our apartment in Washington," Mrs. Scott said.

In her testimony Mrs. Scott declared she differed with her husband as to the date of their marriage as given by him in previous testimony. The date was Nov. 14, 1914, she said and added that her husband had probably forgotten he exact date.

Mrs. Kennedy, who Mrs. Scott contended in her cross bill disturbed the peace in the Scott home, once appeared conspicuously in a Pullman car drawing room occupied by the Scotts, Mrs. Scott testified in a "Boar's Nest" which she said was "extremely decadent."

Throughout most of the hearing today, Mrs. Scott sat with his head in his hands listening to his wife's testimony occasionally he glanced up at her.

Mrs. Kennedy once told her, Mrs. Scott said, that when Mrs. Scott was a guest at the home of relatives he was compelled to go outdoors to read letters from his wife, because it made his sister angry to see him read letters from her.

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SECTION TWO

SUNDAY MORNING, JANUARY 4, 1925

## 54TH ASSEMBLY WILL CONVENE AT NOON ON WEDNESDAY, JAN. 7TH

Preliminary Organization  
Will Follow Along  
Usual Lines

SPRINGFIELD. (AP)—The Fifty-fourth General Assembly of the State of Illinois will meet at noon, Wednesday, January 7, 1925.

Its organization will follow time honored custom. The secretary of state will hold the gavel in the House of Representatives until a speaker is chosen, and in the Senate, the lieutenant governor will preside. Judging from the announcement by Governor Small that his inaugural will be January 12, it has been concluded that organization will be effected without prolonged struggle. Friends of the governor have

counted noses and feel confident of a friendly majority in each house.

Should they fail of a majority, organization may be delayed. The assembly will be unable to declare the new state of Illinois until elected, and the governor will necessarily postpone his inaugural. Those in touch with the executive department name Robert Scholtes, of Peoria, the governor's favorite for speaker, and in some quarters it is said, his election is certain and that organization of the house will present no insurmountable obstacle to administration.

After calling the house to order, Secretary Emmerson will call upon some minister of the gospel to offer prayer and then will appoint a provisional clerk and doorkeeper. The clerk will call the roll of representatives, who will answer to their names. Some members will thereupon offer House Resolution No. 1, providing for appointment of seven members to call upon the chief justice of the supreme court, and request him to administer the oath of office to the members-elect.

A resolution to elect a temporary speaker will be next in order. Seven members will be named according to custom, to elect the temporary speaker to the chair, and assuming the gavel, he will relieve the secretary of state of further duty in the house. Following custom again, the provisional clerk and doorkeeper, will be reappointed by the temporary speaker, as temporary clerk and temporary doorkeeper.

Next a resolution providing for a credentials committee, and members will be introduced, and the committee will proceed to examine the certificates of election held by members, to ascertain their right to seats. When this is done, Resolution No. 2 is due, which calls for permanent organization.

Causes which proved the opening session generally determine the course of events. Several candidates may be proposed by Republicans and Democrats. If the expected happens, an administration Republican will be elected permanent speaker, and the temporary speaker will be the first leader.

A permanent chief clerk, doorkeeper and postmaster will then be elected and reappointed, and a press committee appointed.

Procedure in the senate will be similar. Temporary organization will provide the taking of the oath of office by senators-elect, administration of which chief justice.

president pro tempore, and a permanent secretary.

Upon the second day of the session, January 8, according to custom, the two houses will meet in joint session and canvass the votes for state officials, declare which are elected and adjourn for the week.

Returning to Springfield the following Monday they will have reserved space in the state arsenal in case the inauguration ceremonies are held as intended. Heretofore inaugurations have always been held in the Hall of Representatives, whose limited space forbids a very large attendance. The arsenal will have space for delegations from various parts of the state, some of which will travel here in chartered trains.

## WOMEN VOTERS PLAN LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

CHICAGO. (AP)—The board of directors of the Illinois League of Women Voters, Mrs. James W. Morrison, president, have decided to adopt the following legislative measures for 1925 selected from the program of work adopted at the convention held in November.

Entrance of the United States into the World Court upon terms of the Harding-Hughes proposal is to be asked of the United States senate.

For Illinois, the program includes the following:

Ratification of the National Child Labor Amendment.

Cooperation with the federal government in promoting the hygiene of maternity and infancy.

Protection of women in industry by means of shorter working day.

Adoption of Australian ballot.

Adoption of a shorter ballot by removal of presidential electors' names from the ballot.

An appropriation for the Farm Colony of Women Offenders, (authorized in 1919).

Establishment of the eligibility of women for jury service.

Equalization of educational opportunity with, if possible, support of recommendations of State Education Commission.

A genuine merit system in the civil service.

## Public Health Bulletin

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DR. THOMAS A. MANN, Health Officer

### Physical Defects of Children

Within a short time we plan to publish in this bulletin a summary of the physical defects found in the Morgan county school children which we have examined this fall up to December 31st. The following estimates of the condition of the school children in the United States were submitted in 1919 by Dr. Thomas D. Wood, who represented the National Education Association and the American Medical Association. Keep these and compare the figures with the Morgan county records which will soon be published.

"At least one percent—200,000 of the 22,000,000 school children in the United States—are mentally defective.

Over one percent—250,000, at least, of the children—are handicapped by organic heart disease.

At least five percent—1,000,000 children—have now, or have had tuberculosis, a danger often to others as well as to themselves.

Five percent—1,000,000 of them—have defective hearing, which unrecognized, gives many the undesired reputation of being mentally defective.

Twenty-five percent—5,000,000 of these school children—have defective eyes. All but a small percentage of these can be corrected, and yet a majority of them have received no attention.

Fifteen to 25 percent—3,000,000 to 5,000,000 of them—are suffering from malnutrition, and poverty is not the most important cause of this serious barrier to healthy development.

From 15 to 25 percent—3,000,000 to 5,000,000—have various glandular defects.

From 10 to 20 percent—2,000,000 to 4,000,000—have various muscular defects, such as flat feet, weak spines or other glandular defects.

From 10 to 15 percent—2,000,000 to 3,000,000—have various dental defects.

From 10 to 15 percent—2,000,000 to 3,000,000—have various defects of the skin, such as scabies, eczema, etc.

From 10 to 15 percent—2,000,000 to 3,000,000—have various defects of the respiratory system, such as asthma, etc.

From 10 to 15 percent—2,000,000 to 3,000,000—have various defects of the digestive system, such as indigestion, etc.

### Among the 1,252 office workers

whose records were studied by the United States Public Health Service, there were, during the calendar year under consideration, 640 eight-hour days lost from work and 352 calls at the company's dispensary on account of common colds alone. There were also 417 calls for constipation, 1,014 for headache, and 233 for fatigue. Among the 1,136 school children of Missouri, out of 37,368 days lost on account of sickness, approximately 32 percent were due to common colds and slightly over two percent to toothache.

In the past, the chief aim of many physicians has been to cure their patients after they have been attacked by disease; the efforts of most health officers have been relatively ineffective to prevent disease. The sanitation of the future will emphasize the achievement of optimum health among the people—that state of body and mind which brings the freer and more abundant life.

### Are You Prepared?

The term "Are You Prepared?" is a very popular expression, but it means nothing to people in general except to be prepared to kill. It is a war term and is kept alive mostly by our army and navy employees. It would be much better if we could change it to "Be prepared for Peace."

The only war we should think about when applying it is war against disease. There are so many diseases we can prevent today that we should formulate the habit of asking ourselves the question in regard to such maladies as tuberculosis, diphtheria, smallpox, typhoid fever.

Are you prepared to resist influenza or having had it, are you prepared to have your body kept in proper condition by means of proper diet, exercise, rest and proper clothing?

Are you prepared to resist diphtheria or having had it, are you prepared to have your body kept in proper condition by means of proper diet, exercise, rest and proper clothing?

Are you prepared to resist typhoid fever or having had it, are you prepared to have your body kept in proper condition by means of proper diet, exercise, rest and proper clothing?

## LAWYER, 82, STILL PLEADS OWN CASES

Has Appeared in Fifty Two Homicide Cases—Began Practice of Law Soon After Close of Civil War.

Goleta. (AP)—Still appearing in court to argue his own cases in spite of his 82 years, William S. Morris of Pope county is perhaps the oldest active lawyer in the state. Mr. Morris has been an active lawyer almost since the close of the civil war.

During his career, the aged member of the Pope county bar has served as state senator twice and once as a member of the lower house of the general assembly. While states attorney of Hardin county fifty years ago, Mr. Morris took a leading part in cleaning up a turbulent situation, somewhat like the situation in Williamson county in the last few years. Mr. Morris has prosecuted, or defended, 52 homicide cases, obtaining many convictions and clearing many of his defendants.

He was born in Hamilton county and lived there until the outbreak of the civil war. Mr. Morris was one of the first recruits to John A. Logan's regiment, on listing as a private and being mustered out at the end of the war as a lieutenant. He was well acquainted with Robert T. Lincoln, son of Abraham Lincoln, and served on the Logan monument commission with him.

At the close of the war, Mr. Morris married and studied law in Judge Andrew B. Duff's law school, a famous institution in southern Illinois in the early days. He was admitted to the bar in 1870 and became states attorney in Hardin county two years later. At that time the county was terrorized by the famous "Bell Gang," an organized group of marauders who had thrown law and order to the winds. Morris took charge of the county, arrested 30 of the band and convicted the ring leaders. He had charge of the first case ever prosecuted in Pope county, being held in a special prison.

### BONE FROM CALIFORNIA

It is said that the bones of a man who was killed in the civil war were found in a field near the town of Goleta. The bones were found by a farmer who was plowing his field. The bones were found in a field near the town of Goleta. The bones were found by a farmer who was plowing his field.

## SERIOUS DAMAGE TO WHEAT BY ICE STORM IS FEARED IN STATE

Full Extent Of Loss Cannot Be Determined Until Later

Springfield. (AP)—Serious concern in general over the amount of damage done to winter wheat in central Illinois by the recent heavy ice storm, according to A. J. Surratt, agricultural statistician, here. The extent of the damage can not be determined until later, Mr. Surratt said.

Acreage in Illinois, down to winter wheat is estimated at 2,678,000 acres, which is about the same as a year ago but less than the 1922 acreage of 3,251,000, the December crop report, issued by Mr. Surratt, shows.

"Wheat entered the winter season in nearly an average condition," the report said, "though the top growth in many fields is reported not as heavy as usual. The condition of winter wheat in Illinois December 1 was 87 percent of normal against 88 percent last year and 90 percent in the fall of 1922.

"Rye, average, however, in Illinois is reported at 172,000 acres about 10 percent less than last year. Rye condition in the state is 91 percent of normal as against 94 percent a year ago.

"Fall plowing is reported over average, it being estimated that about 37 percent of all farm land was plowed this fall. The supply of farm labor now exceeds the demand, the former being 95 percent and the latter 92 percent of normal."

Winter wheat acreage in the United States this fall is placed at 42,317,000 acres compared to 45,950,000 acres sown in the fall of 1922, and the condition of fall wheat in the United States is 87 percent of normal, the government crop report shows. Rye acreage the country over is estimated at 4,206,000, compared with 4,172,000 last year, and the general condition of rye is placed at 87.3 percent normal as against 89.9 percent a year ago.

"The average price paid, per bushel for No. 2 hard corn this season is reported by farmers to be 6 cents and 10 cents for standing corn and 10 cents for husked for shock corn."

### WIFE JUDGE LICENSE

Thomas Emmerson, Mason City, Iowa, has been granted a license to sell liquor by the retail.

## WOMEN OPENED TO WAR, PEACE MEETING

MINNEAPOLIS. (AP)—The National Council of Women and the National League of Women Voters will offer a meeting to discuss the best expedient for ending the war, why war has been started, and why they can be prevented, and why not be a center for peace, by or by the women of the world.

The meeting will be held at the National Council of Women's headquarters, 100 North LaSalle street, at 10 o'clock, Monday, January 5, 1925. The meeting will be held at the National Council of Women's headquarters, 100 North LaSalle street, at 10 o'clock, Monday, January 5, 1925.

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ROUTT HIGH TOO MUCH FOR BEARDSTOWN BOYS

Locals Take Game on Liberty Hall Floor 28 to 13—Visitors Outclassed in All Departments.

Although they put up a hard fight from start to finish, Beardstown High was unable to get away with a victory over Phil Routt's team last night on the Liberty Hall floor, the Eastenders winning by a margin of 28 to 13.

There was some misunderstanding, the boys from the river town arrived without suits, but Coach John Mitchell of J. H. S. took care of this difficulty by loaning them the necessary number of outfits, and the game was started after about 25 minutes delay.

Routt had their opponents outclassed in all departments of play then teamwork and basket shooting being far better than that of the visitors. Routt also far out-worked Beardstown and this also proved an advantage for New York's men. The farther Bud Robert went, the better he became at looping them in for baskets, getting three field baskets in the first half and exactly doubling that amount after the long rest time, thus making a total of 18 points to his credit for the evening. Paul Conway was next in line with six points, Jacob at center for Beardstown led with five points and Gray and Phillips each counted four.

Routt led at the end of the first quarter 10 to 4, and at the half they still had the lead 14 to 4 but in the third period the visitors raised their count to eight while Routt brought their total up to 22. In the final session Beardstown crawled up by getting two points, but the locals outdid them in the count by hanging up three field baskets for a total of 28. During the game Routt committed five personal fouls on which but one point was scored by the visitors, while Beardstown got by without being charged with a single infraction.

Next week Routt High meets Auburn here.

The score:

Routt (28)	FG	FT	T
Beardstown (13)	FG	FT	T
Gray, 1	1	0	1
P. Conway, 6	3	0	6
R. Conway, 1	0	0	0
Hobbs, 1	0	0	0
Costello, 1	0	0	0
Gray, 5	1	0	5
Total	14	0	28
Beardstown (13)	FG	FT	T
Adkins, 1	0	0	0
Weger, 1	0	0	0
Gray, 1	0	0	0
Bodd, 1	0	0	0
Jacob, 1	0	0	0
Phillips, 1	0	0	0
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Referee: Bob Harmon, Jacksonville.

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FIRST MEETING FOR NEW CONFERENCE HELD

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 3. (AP)—The Central Illinois Colleges—Bradley, Augustana, Monmouth, Millikin and Wesleyan met here today and took preliminary steps toward the formation of a new athletic conference. Another meeting was called for January 17 at which time a constitution is expected to be adopted.

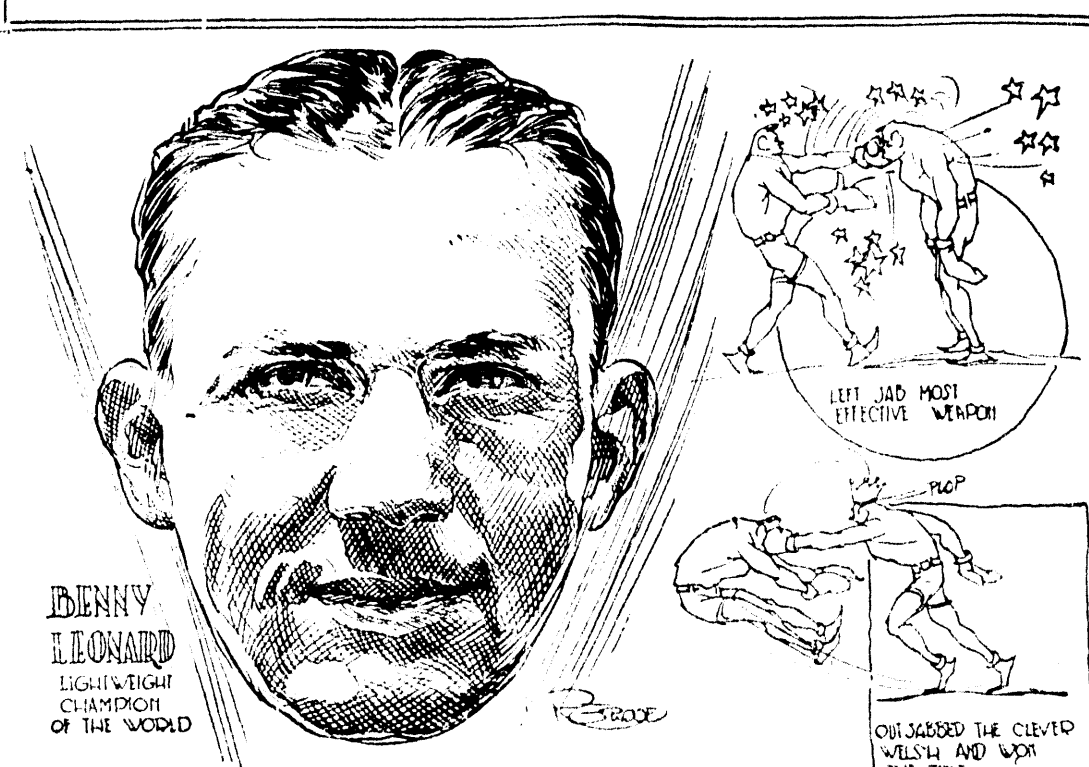
**DIXON TRADED FOR FOUR PLAYERS AND CASH**  
St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 3. —Leo Dixon, star catcher for the St. Paul American association club has been obtained by the St. Louis Browns in a trade for Pitcher Kolp, Catcher Pat Collins, Infielder McMillan, Outfielder Durr and an unrevealed amount of cash. It was announced here tonight. Durr was released under option.

Karl Berninger, who last year distinguished himself by winning letters in football, basketball, track and tennis at Principia Academy here has been signed by the Browns and will be given a tryout by Manager George Sisler.

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"Harmless" Left Jab Made Leonard Champion

Lightweight King, Premier Boxer, Tells How He Crosses Opponent



BY JOE WILLIAMS

So much has been written of the fictitious prowess of Benny Leonard, champion of the lightweights, the commentator finds himself up against it to unroll new material. This, however, may surprise you. Leonard thinks more of his left jab than any other punch he uses. And remember a jab is not a particularly awesome weapon. It is, relatively, what the hunt in baseball is to the home run.

Yet the champion called by many the greatest lightweight since the days of Gans and Laing, insists a left jab to the face has made and kept him champion.

"Now I'll tell you why I say this," went on Leonard. "A jab counts for a point. It's easy to land. Points win decisions. That's to be considered. When you jab an opponent his head goes up. He is off balance. While a man is off balance he can do nothing. You are scoring and getting nothing in return."

"Here's another argument. When jabbing you put your glove in the other fellow's eyes. You partly obscure his vision. Literally you are fighting a blind man. This leaves an opening to slip across a heavy punch, a hook or a

AMERICA LED WORLD IN INTERNATIONAL SPORT DURING 1924

**took Top Place In Twelve Out of Fourteen Important Fields**

New York, (AP)—America's athletic forces swept overwhelmingly to triumph on fields of international rivalry throughout 1924, but in the Olympic Games at Paris, the chief event of the year, Uncle Sam's time-honored prestige sustained several distinct and stunning setbacks.

As the year's march of events is reviewed, however, the memory of reverses encountered by the wearers of the Stars and Stripes on the track at Colombes cannot altogether be erased even by the sweeping victories in seven other major Olympic competitions and the stirring triumphs scored otherwise in polo, tennis, polo, horse racing and boxing. A summary of more important fields of 1924 competition shows America at the top in 12 out of 14.

With the aid of its forces, the United States carried off all Olympic point honors of import, and but for the first time since 1908, the American colors were lowered in the coveted 100-metre championship, when the Cambridge student, Harold Abrahams, beat four of America's best sprinters, while Yankee distance runners fared dismally in the events from 1,500 metres up where the Finns, led by the marvelous Paavo Nurmi, swept the field.

America's eclipse on the Olympic track was almost complete, for in the individual events her only victory was scored by Jackson Scholz, who captured the 200-metre dash. Altogether it was the most disappointing track showing this country has ever made in the Olympics, where the credit for America's ultimate victory went to a brilliant array of record-breaking field performers, among whom Bud Houser and Harold Osborn starred with two victories apiece.

With the athletes of 44 nations assembled at Paris, the 1924 Olympics took rank as the greatest international tests ever held and in the final analysis, the United States not only carried off the highest point honors in track and field, but also captured impressive team championships in rowing, where Yale's remarkable crew continued its unbroken run, and swimming, where Johnny Weissmuller established his claims to greatness; tennis, where America made a clean sweep of five championships; boxing, wrestling, shooting and Rugby football.

Following the Olympics, the international battleground shifted to this country and the United States completed the busiest

KID KAPLIN TO BE ACTIVE CHAMPION

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—Louis (Kid) Kaplan, the Midwestern "Buzz Saw," who won the world's featherweight championship by knocking out Danny Kramer of Philadelphia in the ninth round of a title match at Madison Square Garden last night, will join the ranks of the active champions, Dennis McMahon, his manager announced today.

Kaplan, who is generally credited with forcing Johnny Dundee, former champion to relinquish his title by persistent attempts to force him into a title match, will take a ten day vacation in Montreal before embarking on a tour which will take him to California. He left today for Memphis to attend a dinner in his honor by fellow townsmen.

Kaplan, who scored two knockouts in his three matches in the tournament fostered by the state athletic commission to determine a successor to Dundee, will meet any and all comers weighing under 125 pounds. McMahon said.

MILLER AND HANKINS TRADED TO WICHITA

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—For "Hack" Miller, pitcher and "Doc" Hankins, a pitcher, the Washington baseball club, as the result of a deal announced tonight by President Griffith will obtain a pitcher and a young left-handed catcher from the St. Louis Cardinals.

McNamara, who is the youngest pitcher ever to play in his first season, is expected to pitch for the Cardinals.

DATE IS SET FOR A. A. U. TOURNAMENT

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 3. (AP)—The National A. A. U. basketball tournament will be held here the week of March 2, according to Dr. J. A. Reilly of the Kansas City Athletic Club, who is in charge of arrangements. Resolutions will be sent out this week part of this month or early in February.

CARDS RELEASED TO MILWAUKEE CLUB

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 3. (AP)—The Milwaukee baseball club has been released under option by the National Association, the St. Louis National's headquarters announced today.

CULLY LEAVES WITH THREE VICTORIES

Holiday Trip Has Been Most Successful For Former Illinois College Star's Flora Basketball Team.

"Doc" Cully expects to leave for his Florida home today, after a visit with relatives here, a highly jubilant over the showing made by his basketball quintet, and well he may be proud of their record, for after taking the district championship for the past two seasons, he has started out this season with practically a new squad, but one of his this season's players having been on the team previously, and from previous appearances has good chance of repeating if his boys continue to play in the form shown in this section of the state, as they won all three of their games, three nights in succession.

The Flora High five made their initial bow in this section, December 30th, by defeating John Mitchell's J. H. S. team on the David Prince floor 22 to 14. The next night, December 31, Cully took his men against Phil Newman's Routt quintet and added another scalp by conquering, 16-14. The former Illinois star then moved on to Pana where his team defeated the Christian county boys the night of January 1st, by a 29-25 score, after having lost to this veteran team earlier in the season by a narrow margin of two points.

MIT. STERLING PROSPECTS FOR BASKETBALL GOOD

MIT. Sterling.—Prospects for a winning basketball team at MIT. Sterling high school are good this year, in spite of the fact that the team will have no regular place to practice until January 10, when the new high school gymnasium is ready for use, according to W. J. Shaw.

McDonald, Simpson and Buss, three stars from last years team are again eligible and several promising sophomores are candidates for berths.

MIT. Sterling's schedule so far includes two games each with Rushville, Bowen, Hull, Bluffs, Clayton, Timewell, Hersman, Augusta, all in Illinois, 22 to 14. The team last year won all its home games, but lost 8 games away from home.

BUTLER OUTCLASSES LOMBARD COLLEGE

Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 3.—Butler College basketball team of Indianapolis, completely outclassed Lombard College here tonight, defeating the local team 41 to 24.

NORTHWESTERN BEATS MERCER COLLEGE

Evanston, Ill., Jan. 3.—Northwestern University tonight defeated the Mercer College basketball team of Macon, Ga., 30 to 21.

OPENING DATES IN MAJORS ANNOUNCED

Senators Open in New York With Yankees and Giants. Meet Braves in Boston on April 14th. When Both Leagues Start Play.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 3. (AP)—The drafting of the major league baseball schedules for 1925 to open Tuesday April 14 and close October 4, was completed late today by the schedule committee of the National and American Leagues. The opening dates for the two leagues were announced as follows:

**National League**  
Pittsburgh at Chicago.  
St. Louis at Cincinnati.  
New York at Boston.  
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.

**American League**  
Cleveland at St. Louis.  
Chicago at Detroit.  
Boston at Philadelphia.  
Washington at New York.

R. B. Johnson, president of the American League, made a prediction that "baseball is in for a good year." He declined to comment on the recent controversy with Baseball Commissioner Landis.

It was explained that the closing date had been set for October 4 instead of late in September as heretofore, in order to avoid numerous double headers in the late season.

The schedule as drafted here will be submitted to the joint meeting of the two leagues in February.

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## IRL MAKES BOXING GLOVES FOR BOXERS

By Roy J. Gibbons  
NEA Service Writer  
CHICAGO. "If there's romance in your job you'll like it. If there's no romance, put some in." Come these words not from a dogmatist nor preacher, but from the first prize maker of knockout boxing gloves.

Her name is Anna Ross. She's just 18 and seems a bit out of place, perhaps, in the unique calling she has chosen.

The mind could conjure some Anna better in the picture than she mistress behind some counter laden with lacey things and other pretties for the ladies.

But Anna waves a contemptuous hand toward any suggestion of the latter and similar roles.

**Calls on Imagination**  
Behind the plying needle of her sewing machine she sits all day passing the magic of her deft hands over cumbersome piles of leather.

These be some miracle or other to take from under the eye and metamorphose into "Irish dukes."

Pride rules Anna's work. A ducky in her heart the living day while she molds and pads gloves intended to make the mud and weights to the ounce the flutes cheer when placed on the hands of "One-Round" O'Brien.

## and K. O. Clancy "in the opposite corner, ladies and gents."

If you have difficulty reconciling demure Anna in the niche of champion "knockout" artist then that's because you fail to see the reason for that smile she wears and that song that carols in her heart.

**Boxers Her Knights**  
In a way that has been pronounced perfect, Anna has risen to the top of her craft. None better than she can be found. That makes her satisfied. She is content.

But happiness could not have been hers had she felt that making boxing gloves was just a task. True enough, there is nothing very stimulating in the work, but Anna decided that she would make it romantic.

The fighters are her knights. Of old they went into battle with their ladies' leather dukes dancing from their lance poles.

So, too, Anna sends her unsexed heroes into the fray with an imaginary luck token.

Thus the job that was just a job she has made something very important.

Anna says you can do the same thing yourself. She suggests that you try it. Just play at making gloves.

Among residents of Woodson and vicinity who visited the city Saturday were Henry Reese, Jess and Dick Butler, James McGovern and S. J. Baxter.

## DAYS OF FIGHTING CHAMPS ARE OVER

By NEA Service  
NEW YORK. The days of the fighting champions are about over.

Harry Greb is the only title holder who takes on challengers, and dubs, regardless of the purpose.

Money is the dominating influence with the present-day champions rather than fight. Once a fighter wins a championship he puts it in his pocket and takes on nothing but consolation affairs.

Dempsy refuses to fight in doors because there is no chance for a big gate. Benny Leonard takes much the same attitude. Instead of fighting, the two are upbiting the stage and tilts.

Walker refuses to fight Dave Shad and has no standing in New York State, one of the few places where real championship bouts can be staged.

Alie Goldstein, after dodging the bantam customers for nearly a year, dropped his title the first time out.

**"Ducky" Pond of Yale**  
"Ducky" Pond is to continue as Yale's man of destiny. Not only will he captain the Yale baseball team this spring but also seeks to retain his post as one of the best pitchers in the college ranks.

## VETERAN UMP SAYS GERMANS LIKE BASEBALL

By NEA Service  
NEW YORK. The failure of the major league tourists to go big in Europe brings out the fact that Japan is one of the few countries that has enthused over America's national game.

Jim Johnston, former National League umpire, who has just returned from a trip abroad, says a mistake was made by the tourists in not visiting Germany.

Johnstone says that of all the European countries he toured, Germany was the only one in which the kids were actually playing the game.

In the other countries where baseball was played, however, Americans and Canadians were the performers.

**COOMBS TO PRINCETON**  
Jack Coombs, former star big league pitcher, who has acted as coach at Williams College for several years, shifts his active life to Princeton this season, taking charge of Princeton's baseball candidates.

**ROOKIE TO BE REGULAR**  
Connie Mack plans to alternate his recently acquired star catcher, Gordon Cochrane, with his veteran backstop, Cy Perkins.

Mrs. W. L. Funk of Manchester visited in Jacksonville yesterday.

## Billy Evans Says--

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## BANTAM CHAMP Eddie Martin Realizes Ambition To Emulate Terry McGovern

By NEA Service  
NEW YORK. Eddie Martin, bantam champion, is determined to emulate Terry McGovern, the former world champion.

Martin, who is now 21, has been fighting since he was 17. He has won 12 fights and lost two.

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## TRACKS OF KENTUCKY AID SPEEDY RACERS IN MAKING RECORDS

By NEA Service  
LOUISVILLE. Ky. CAP. Race horses found the track at Latonia much to their liking during the 1924 season. Two official world records and two track records were made and the flying hoofs of the horses were a review of some of the best of Kentucky tracks.

In addition to the two world records, Sarazen and Chilhowee established an official record of 2:06 1/2 for the quarter mile in winning the third International Special Oct. 11. Avelar, doing the distance in two minutes 11 1/2 at Belmont Park, N. Y. on June 28, 1917.

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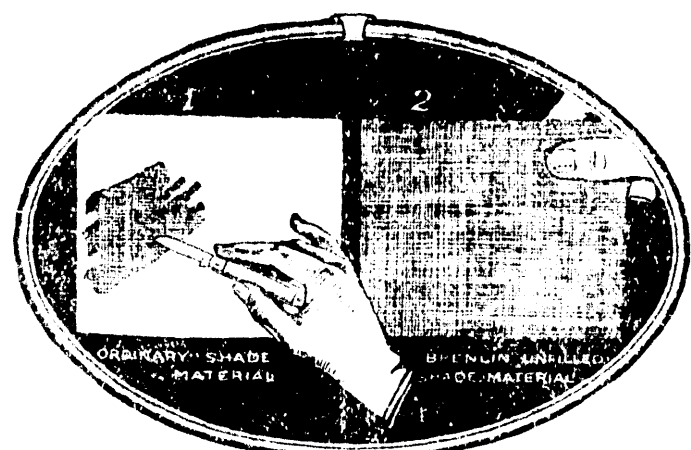
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PHONE 74

Why your window shades  
show cracks and pinholes

It is a common weakness—this  
cracking and pinholing—of a  
certain type of shade material. What it  
is—and how you can avoid it—  
is clearly revealed above.

Note, first, photograph No. 1  
—a sample of the ordinary shade  
material in unfinished state. Its  
surface has been lightly scraped  
with a knife. Here is exposed  
the great hidden weakness of the  
ordinary shade.

See what has happened! The  
scratching has loosened a quan-  
tity of chalk and clay filling, re-  
vealing the coarse muslin cloth  
beneath. Under the strains of  
daily usage, this "filling" falls  
out leaving a "mess" of cracks  
and pinholes.

Now, note photograph No. 2  
—a sample of BRENLIN UN-

FINISHED shade material in the  
same unfinished state. Observe  
that it consists purely of a fine,  
closely woven cloth—that it con-  
tains not a particle of chalk, clay  
or any other filling.

What is the result? In the  
Unfilled Grade of Brenlin has  
been perfected a material that  
really resists the constant strains  
of hard daily usage—that the  
hottest sun cannot fade, nor the  
inbeat of water spot. It is sup-  
ple—not stiff, yet cannot bag,  
sag or wrinkle; wears twice as  
long as the ordinary kind, because  
from it has been eliminated that  
filling which is the greatest weak-  
ness of the ordinary shade.

Come in today and let us  
figure on the Unfilled Grade of  
Brenlin for your shades. We  
can supply it in tones for every  
color scheme.

HOPPER &amp; HAMM

Homefurnishers

ended a social in Murrayville  
Tuesday night given by the Old  
Folks.  
Harvey Sherrill is spending a  
week with friends in Winchester.  
John and wife have been visit-  
ing at G. W. Brown's home, re-  
turning to Springfield.  
George Durham will hold a pub-  
lic sale Wednesday, January 14.  
The Ladies Aid of Zion M. E.  
church will serve lunch.  
Mrs. Charles Wagstaff is on the  
sick list this week.  
Mrs. Robert Wagstaff and son  
Frank from Jacksonville spent  
the day with her father, B. F.  
Spencer.  
Among those attending the in-  
augural of Mr. A. B. Reid from a  
distance were Dr. and Mrs. David  
Reid, George Stansfield, Henry  
Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid,  
Ray and Mr. F. E. Brown and  
son Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Story and little son, Mrs. Robert  
Wagstaff and son Frank, Miss  
Helen Ramsey, Mrs. Herman Shep-  
pard and Dr. J. H. Spencer, all of  
Jacksonville; Mrs. Amy Whewell,  
Mrs. Mary Ramsey, Mrs. Marsh,  
Dr. Victor Roberts from Man-  
chester, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bacon  
from Lynnville.

**INTERESTING GUEST**  
**FROM CHAMPAIGN**  
Miss Margaret Hoskins, who  
has been a guest in the city for  
the past week at the home of Miss  
Eleanor Andre, will return to her  
home in Champaign today. Miss  
Andre and Miss Hoskins were  
classmates at the Perry Mans-  
field Training Camp, Steamboat  
Springs, Colorado, which both  
attended last summer. During  
her visit in Jacksonville, Miss  
Hoskins has been entertained at  
several parties.

**SIoux CITY GUEST**  
Archer Boylan of Sioux City,  
Iowa, is spending the holiday  
season in Jacksonville as the  
guest of relatives in the city.  
Mr. Boylan, who spent his boy-  
hood in Jacksonville and this vic-  
inity, is making a prominent an-  
nouncement as a lawyer in Sioux City.

Cough Drops at Merrigan's?

LATEST  
RECORDS

**HOT, HOT HOTTENTOT**  
(Fox Trot)  
HIS THE HOTTEST MAN IN  
TOWN  
(Fox Trot)

Bennie Kenner's Orchestra

**KEEP ON GOING**  
(Tender With Piano and Guitar)

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**THE PAIR THAT I LOVED**  
**STOLE THE GIRL THAT I**  
**LOVED**  
(Tender With Orchestra)

**AT THE END OF THE SUNSET**  
**TRAIL**  
(Vocal Duet With Orchestra)

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tions in America. Radio  
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vorite Stations Listed Below.

WEMC—Berrien Springs 286,  
8:15 organ; 8:20 choir; 8:40  
soprano; 8:50 saxophone; 9  
scripture lesson; 9:10 sermon.  
WGR—Buffalo 319, 6:15 service.  
KJW—Chicago 536, 7 Sunday  
evening club, musical speaker.  
WGN—Chicago 370, 9 ensemble,  
soloists.  
WLS—Chicago 345, 6:30 organ;  
7 musical.  
WQJ—Chicago 448, 8:10 con-  
cert, entertainers.  
WLW—Cincinnati 423, 8:30 con-  
cert, either.

WEAA—Dallas News 476, 9  
singers; 9:30 Fox trotters.  
WOC—Davenport 484, 8 ser-  
vices; 9:30 musical.  
WCX—Detroit 513, 6:15 ser-  
vices.  
WOS—Jefferson City 440, 7:30  
religious.  
WHB—Kansas City 411, 8 ser-  
vices.  
WCCO—Minneapolis, St. Paul  
117, 6:30 religious; 9:15 class-  
ical, quintet.

WEAF—New York 492, 6:20  
boxy and his gang; 8:15 or-  
gan.  
WHN—New York 360, 9 enter-  
tainers; 10:20 orchestra; 11  
entertainers.  
WJZ—New York 455, 6 orches-  
tra; 9 quartet.

WJY—New York 493, 7:15 con-  
cert; 9 "Reminiscences of a  
Reporter."

WBR—New York 273, 8:10  
choral singers; 8:20 (tenor);  
8:30 Bible lessons; 9 (tenor);  
9:10 choral singers.

WCAL—Northfield 360, 8:20  
sacred program, sermon.  
KGO—Oakland 312, 9:30 ser-  
vices.

WDAR—Philadelphia 395, 6:30  
talk.

WOO—Philadelphia 509, 6:30  
services.

WGY—Schenectady 380, 6:30  
services; 8 symphony; 9 quar-  
tet.

KPNE—Shenandoah 266, 6:30  
service.

WCBD—Zion 345, 8 brass quar-  
tet, mixed quartet, artists.

Monday's Program:

WEEL—Boston 303, 6 Sinfonians  
6:30 talk; 6:40 orchestra; 7  
program; 7:20 Courtney Bird  
and his "Toks"; 7:45 music;  
8:20 dramatic soprano; 9 mu-  
sical; 9:30 Sinfonians.

WEMC—Berrien Springs 286,  
8:15 soprano; 8:20 trombone;  
8:40 readings; 8:50 pianist;  
9:05 clarinetist.

WGR—Buffalo 319, 6:30 mu-  
sical; 8:10 musical program;  
10:20 music.

WGN—Chicago 370, 6 organ;  
6:30 concert.

WLW—Cincinnati 423, 6 con-  
cert; 7 orchestra.

WEAA—Dallas News 476, 8:20  
band.

WOC—Davenport 484, 9 mu-  
sical, 10 comedy.

WHO—Des Moines 526, 7:30-8  
care of teeth; 8:9 classical.  
WCX—Detroit 513, 7:20 mu-  
sical.

WJZ—Detroit News 513, 6 or-  
chestra, tenor, contralto.

WTAS—Elgin 286, 8:12 orches-  
tra.

WOS—Jefferson City 440, 8  
King of Ivories.

WDAR—Kansas City Star 411, 6,  
7 School of the Air; 8:9-15  
popular program; 11:45-1  
Nighthawk frolic.

WHB—Kansas City 411, 7:8 ad-  
dress, varied musical.

KSAC—Manhattan 341, 7:20  
bell; 7:30 talk; 7:40 quartet;  
7:45 talk.

WMB—Memphis 501, 8 story;  
8:30 orchestra.

WCCO—Minneapolis, St. Paul  
417, 6 sports; 8 news; 8:30  
band, travelogue; 10 orches-  
tra, mezzo soprano.

WOR—Newark 105, 7 violinist;  
7:30 musical; 8:30 lexio-  
grapher; 8:45 musical critic.

WEAF—New York 492, 7:15  
baritone; 8 A and P Gypsies;  
8:15 pianist; 9:30 orchestra.

WHN—New York 360, 6:10  
fashion chats; 6:30 orchestra;  
7:05 dance; 7:50 music; 8:30  
talk; 8:35 orchestra, dance,  
music.

WJZ—New York 455, 6 orches-  
tra; 7 talk; 9:45 orchestra.

WNYC—New York 526, 6:35  
health talk; 7:30 Rialto thea-  
tre; 8:45 talk; 9 dance.

WBBR—New York 273 7 quartet;  
7:10 violin solos; 7:20 news;  
7:40 violin solos; 7:50 quar-  
tet.

KGO—Oakland 312, 6 orchestra;  
7:30 kiddies; 10 educational;  
12 dance.

WDAR—Philadelphia 395, 6:30  
talk; 8:30 orchestra; 9:03 or-  
chestra.

WOO—Philadelphia 509, 6:30  
orchestra; 7:30 recital; 8 or-  
chestra; 9:03 recital; 9:30 or-  
chestra.

WCAU—Philadelphia 278, 6:30  
talk; 7 concert.

WFI—Philadelphia 395, 5:30  
orchestra; 6 talk.

WCAR—Pittsburgh 462, 6:30  
Uncle Kaybee; 6:45 address;  
7:30 quartet; 9:30 concert.

KEAF—Pullman 330, 9:30 so-  
crao, pianist, talks, book  
chat.

WGY—Schenectady 380, 6:45  
music.

KFOA—Seattle 455, 8 concert;  
8:45 musical; 10:30 program.

KPQX—Seattle 238, 8:15 story-  
10 orchestra; 11 concert; 12  
dance.

KPNE—Shenandoah 266, 6:30  
concert.

KSD—St. Louis 546, 7 Missouri  
theater; 9 music program.

CHNC—Toronto 350, 7:30 in-  
strumental trio, quartet, vocal.  
WCBH—Zion 345, 8 choir.

WHIG—Richmond Hill 316, 7,  
11 entertainers.

DOUGLAS INSTITUTE  
RENDERS PROGRAM

The following program was given  
at Douglas Institute on a recent  
date:

Song, "America the Beautiful."  
Song, "Santa Claus Is Coming."  
School.

Welcome address—Thomas Dob-  
son.

Welcome, Eight girls.  
Recitation—Roberta Butler.  
Recitation—Robert O'Meara.  
Diologue, "Watching for Santa."  
Wayne Dobson and Paul Ties.  
Diologue, "What Is Christmas?"  
Five girls.

Song, "Jolly Old Saint Nick."  
Primary classes.

Recitation—Emma Louise Bell.  
Recitation—Mary O'Meara.  
Diologue, "Xmas at Skelter Cor-  
ner." School.

Recitation—Freddie Darwin.  
Diologue, "Xmas Fairies."  
Four girls.

Diologue, Mr. and Mrs. Simp-  
son.

Then came the contests and sell-  
ing of pies and finally the closing  
song by school, "Jingle Bells" and  
Santa Claus coming to visit the  
school, where he was made wel-  
come and was assisted to distrib-  
ute the gifts from the tree to the  
children.

"We wish a happy New Year to  
all."

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. O'Meara and  
family took Xmas dinner with his  
mother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mandeville  
and Mr. and Mrs. Miles Fitzpat-  
rick are enjoying a visit from their  
sons during their vacation.

Misses Helen and Loretta Welch  
spent Wednesday night in Jack-  
sonville attending 5 o'clock mass.

Mrs. Herman Shumaker is re-  
covering from her recent illness.  
John Carrigan and daughters  
spent Christmas day with his moth-  
er.

Mrs. Amanda Darwin is spend-  
ing a few days with her daughter,  
Mrs. Lena Carrier.

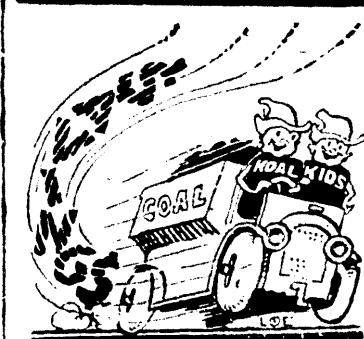
Tommy Butler and family spent  
Sunday with his father, Sam But-  
ler.

A Xmas dinner was held at  
Porter Bell's Thursday.

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Before you lose  
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MRS. HERBERT CAPPS  
INJURED BY FALL

Mrs. Herbert Capps of 620  
West College avenue is a patient  
at Our Savior's Hospital, suffer-  
ing from injuries received Friday  
night by a fall on the icy pave-  
ment. An X-ray examination  
shows a fracture of the right hip.

**LEAVES FOR VIRGINIA**  
Miss Emma Voyle has returned to  
Nortonville, Virginia, after  
spending the holidays at the  
home of her parents.

## Eczema

It last  
a good  
night's  
sleep



Oh! The joy of a peaceful, rest-  
ful night. What a wonderful  
"up and going" feeling follows such  
a night of undisturbed slumber.  
What tortures—what agony  
—what despair—goes with the  
nights where eczema and other  
skin diseases hold power and drive  
away rest and peaceful slumber.  
For under the cover of darkness  
like crafty beings of the under-  
world these eruptions work their  
most serious havoc.

S.S.S. is the established con-  
queror of these annoying skin dis-  
eases. S.S.S. drives these over dis-  
tressing elements from your system  
—elements that carry in their wake  
—lack of energy—undermining  
health! You may try in vain to  
get rid of them by using salves,  
ointments, washes, all to no purpose.  
You can't do it that way—the seat  
of the trouble lies deeper—impure  
blood trying to throw off poisons  
through the tender skin.

S.S.S. purifies the blood. It adds  
Nature in creating new red blood-  
cells by the million! Blood cells  
that send new rich blood coursing  
through your system. Red blood  
that drives away eczema—drives  
away pimples, blackheads, boils  
and rheumatism, too. An increase  
in red blood cells means added  
strength, added vitality and re-  
newed vigor. Because the medicinal  
ingredients of S.S.S. are purely  
vegetable, it may be taken with  
perfect safety. Start taking S.S.S.  
today and watch it root that an-  
noying, skin destroying health un-  
dermining army that holds your  
system in its grasp! Learn again  
what it means to enjoy peaceful,  
restful nights of slumber.

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is more economical.

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Regular 75c Theatrical Cold Cream, 1 pound ..... 50c  
Regular 25c Jontel Powder Puff ..... 19c  
Regular 50c Harmony Petroleum Hair Rub ..... 30c  
Regular 30c Cascade Aromatic, 2 ounces ..... 19c  
Regular \$1.50 Monogram Hot Water Bottle ..... \$1.10  
Regular 50c Bronchial Salve ..... 29c  
Regular 60c Cedar Montforders ..... 29c  
Regular 25c can of Gentleman's Tale tree with every  
tube Rexall Shaving Cream ..... 30c  
Regular 50c Purest Glycerine and Rose Water ..... 39c  
Regular 50c Lord Baltimore Stationery ..... 39c  
Regular 10c Zinc Oxide Adhesive Plaster ..... 29c  
Regular 25c Zinc Oxide Adhesive Plaster ..... 19c  
Bottle of 100 Purest Aspirin ..... 19c  
Regular 55c Rexall Analgesic Balm ..... 45c  
Regular 60c Home Made Chocolate Nougatines ..... 19c

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Tell your grocer to always be sure and send you 'Lucky Boy'

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Shop

**Ideal Baking  
COMPANY**

BAKERS OF THE FAMOUS "LUCKY BOY" BREAD

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BLUFFS CHURCH ELECTS  
OFFICERS FOR 1925Methodist Church Elects Officers  
for Ensuing Year—Other Bluffs  
News

Bluffs, Jan. 2.—At a business meeting at the M. E. church Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the year 1925:

Sunday school superintendent—Lafayette Six.

Assistant—O. W. Ague.

Secretary—Margaret Vannier.

Assistant—Ethel Nunn.

Treasurer—Mrs. G. B. Frazer.

Librarians—Henry Frazer and Raymond Ague.

Planist—Vera McCaleb.

Assistant—Wanda Bergner.

Miss Opal Lawrence entertained seven friends to a watch meeting party at her home Wednesday evening. The time was spent at cards after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Lee Baird entertained relatives to an oyster supper at her home Thursday night. The evening was passed in social games at cards until a late hour.

Miss Beula Tice, who for the past several months has been with

her parents in Cherokee, Ia., left for a short stay in Chicago, Dec. 31 and expects to take up her class in music in Bluffs on or near Feb. 1st. Miss Tice was the popular teacher here last summer and her pupils are pleased to know that she expects to return and continue her work.

A. G. Mitchell, who has been day foreman of the Wabash roundhouse for the past year has been relieved of his duties and has been succeeded by Mr. Moss who took up his duties as foreman January 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ashley and son Leroy were visitors in Jacksonville Tuesday where they had an X-ray taken of the latter's forearm which was broken in a coasting accident recently. The break was not as bad as was first thought, the break consisting of a piece chipped from one of the bones. While his injury is a painful one he is getting along nicely and possibility of bone was unnecessary.

Tommy Evans had the misfortune to fall upon the ice breaking two bones in the back of his right hand while on duty at the roundhouse.

Forrest Atkins accompanied his aunt, Mrs. Helen Rockwood, to Springfield Thursday evening for a two days' business visit in that city.

Miss Edna Mitchell left Thursday to spend the remainder of her vacation with her grandparents in Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Hobbs and little daughter, Dorothy, spent Thursday with relatives in Meruqua.

**For Power and Pep Try Shell's Gasoline—German Bros. Motor Co.**

## DEATHS AT SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME

Deaths of members of the Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home at Quincy, Ill., for the month of December, 1924:

Samuel Burrows, Co. H, 54th Ohio Inf., age 78.

Hector G. Daniels, Co. I, 50th Ill. Inf., age 84.

Peter Leebelter, Co. E, 57th Ohio Inf., age 91.

Thomas B. Moulton, Co. H, 83d Ill. Inf., age 81.

Dudley Price, Co. E, 37th Ill. Inf., age 82.

Timothy O. Regan, Co. A, 3d Ill. Inf., age 82.

John W. Smith, Co. G, 5th Ill. Cav., age 94.

William Hendon, Co. E, 58th Ill. Inf., age 80.

Ida M. Neill, age 69.

Edna VanCott, age 90.

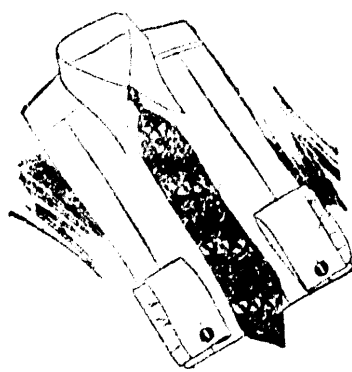
Simon Simpkins, age 81.

Edith D. Richetts, age 86.

## PUBLIC SALE

Jan. 15, consisting of 15 head fresh Jersey cows, horses, mules, implements, hogs and hay.

RAY L. HAYES

The WELL-DRESSED MAN  
By BEAUNASH  
Correct Habits Meet The Obligation Of Every Season  
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set up, cannot be upset at the convenience or whim of the wearer. They must be observed, if one hopes to keep self-respect and the respect of others.

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The long-point collar, though not new and though already shown, is one of the shapes to which some well-dressed men are partial this winter. It gives a deep line of contrast to some faces, especially the round one, though it is not becoming to the lean, oval cast off features. Pointed and round-cornered collars divide favor just now. It is an affair of personal preference, rather than of fixed fashion. Always wear what you look best in. Let no other consideration influence you.

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## Broad Pleats; Long Collar

When in Vulgaria, do as the Vulgarians do seems, alas! to be all too frequent characteristic of the way some men dress. That group mind, or herd instinct, or mass impulse, or whatever the professors of isms and dogmas term our inclination for imitation impels us to wear certain clothes, unmindful of place, time, occasion and circumstance, just because we see somebody else violating the established proprieties. The rules of correct dress, which custom and tradition have

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MORGAN CO. LEAGUE  
OF WOMEN VOTERS

The January meeting of the Morgan County League of Women Voters will be held Thursday, January 8th, at 8 o'clock in the evening at the home of Mrs. James Morrison, the newly elected president of the State League. Mrs. Morrison helped to organize and was Vice-President of the Illinois League of Women Voters and was Regional Chairman for the Redaction of Amendment Committee for the National League. In 1923 she was one of a committee of five appointed by the national board to interview leading women in Europe on the question, "What can the women of America best do to serve the cause of world peace?"

An informal tea for Mrs. Morrison will follow the program. The membership committee is asking you to bring some one as a guest, who may desire to become a member of the League.

Legislative Speaker's School. Of interest to the Morgan County League members is the Legislative Speaker's School, which will be held on January 5, 12th, and 13th in Chicago. The Joint Committee for Ratification of the Child Labor Amendment and the Joint Committee for Maternity Care are sponsoring the school.

The first day, January 5th, those best informed on the ratification of the Child Labor Amendment and the acceptance of the federal aid for maternity and infancy will present the facts about these two measures. Printed material covering every angle of the measures will be distributed. The last hour of the session will be occupied by a teacher of public speaking who will show how to organize material for a speech, the different purposes toward which a speech is directed and how it should be delivered.

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sions of the class, January 12 and 13, members of the class will have an opportunity to present their own papers prepared with the material given out the week previous. The subject of the papers will be the subject of the day's discussion. A special director of public speaking will be present to give instruction in the question and answer of the papers. The class is open to those who are planning to speak on these subjects at the request of the Illinois League of Women Voters. Mrs. May Woodhouse of Evanston will be in charge of the instruction. Her address is 1110 North Michigan Avenue. Mrs. Lillian Padgett, who is married to the city to resume her duties as a student at Illinois Woman's college after spending the holidays with relatives in Meruqua.

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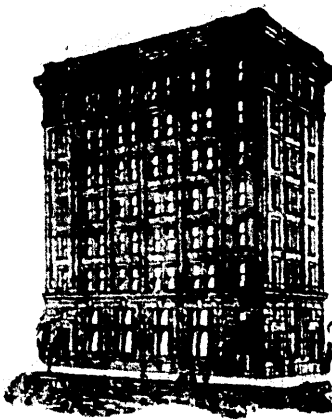
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## RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts \$2,879,231.81  
United States Bonds to Secure Circulation 200,000.00  
Other Bonds and Securities 2,521,418.95  
Federal Reserve Bank Stock 15,000.00  
Overdrafts 3,790.02

Cash Resources—  
Cash and Due From Banks \$988,121.76  
Due From Federal Reserve Bank 335,745.42 \$1,323,867.18

\$6,043,307.96

## LIABILITIES

Capital Stock \$200,000.00  
Surplus Fund 300,000.00  
Undivided Profits 300,983.84  
Circulating Notes Received From Comptroller 200,000.00

Deposits—  
Banks \$ 316,951.77  
Individual 5,168,509.23  
Certificates of Deposit 410,190.03  
Dividends Payable 8,000.00  
Jan. 1, 1925 1,732.08  
Postal Savings Deposits 36,941.01 \$5,942,324.12

\$6,043,307.96

## PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

Earnings carried forward Dec. 31, 1923 \$215,961.81  
Net earnings for year ending Dec. 31, 1924 112,893.14 \$328,854.95

Suspended Notes \$12,002.27

Suspended Notes 131.16 11,871.11

Recovered 27,871.11

Dividend July 1, 1924, 4% \$ 8,000.00

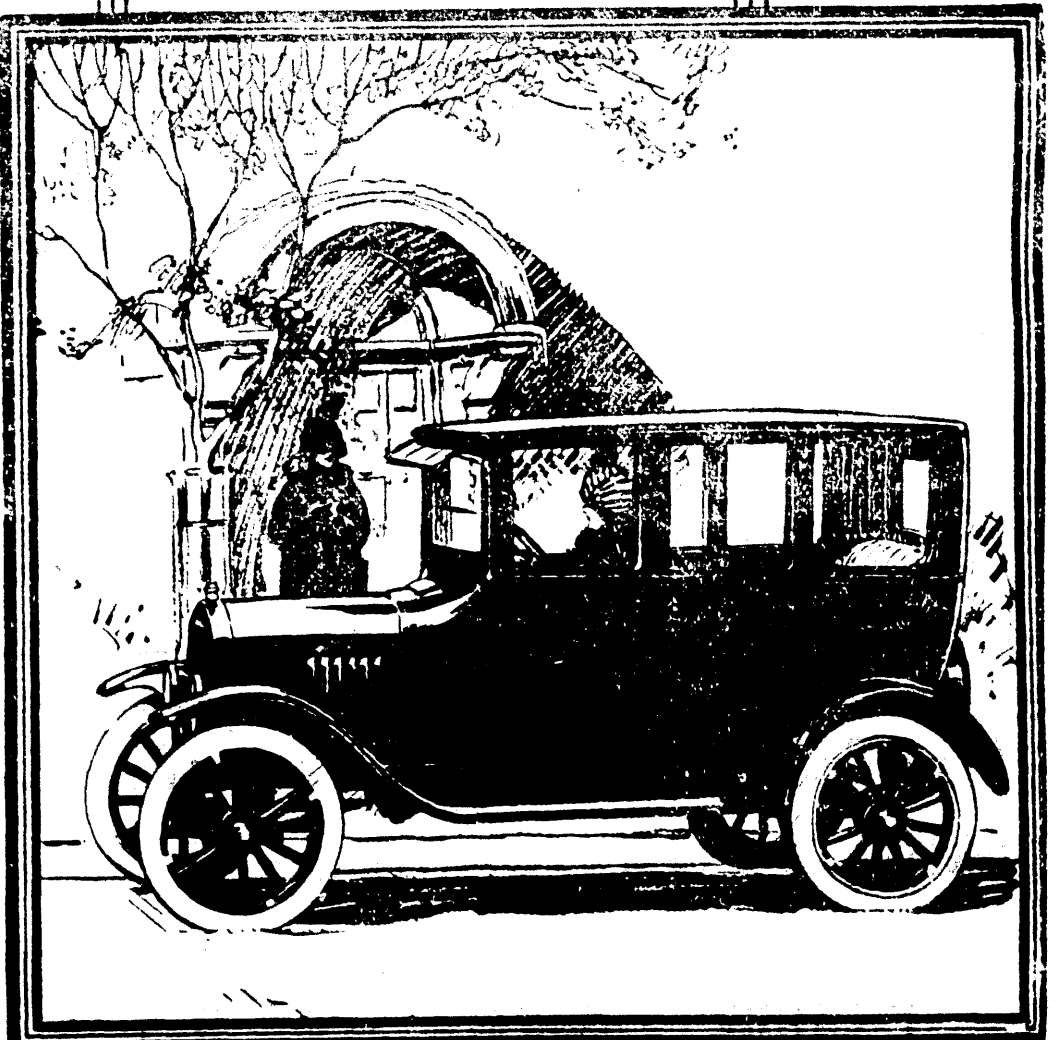
Taxes paid 8,000.00 27,871.11

Dividend Applied for Payment Jan. 1, 1925 8,000.00 27,871.11

Earnings carried forward, Dec. 31 1924 \$300,983.84

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## IN COUNTY COURT

John W. Sparks pleaded guilty to transporting liquor and was fined \$200 and costs yesterday by Judge H. P. Samuel.

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